

From Exile

Southampton, May 1 .-

Ex-Queen Rhambai Barni,

of Siam, left here today for

home in the 21,000-ton liner

. Willem Ruys after 14 years'

She took with her the ashes

of her husband, Prajadhipok.

Prince of Sukhodaya, King of

Siam from 1926 until he ab-

He died in England in 1941.

The ex-King's standard was

Princess Rhambai Barni is 43.

She was received by the Queen

at Buckingham Palace early in

the ex-King's ashes was car-

ried on board by Colonel Synsti,

the Queen's brother, who was preceded by a Royal Household

official carrying the late King's

Buddha which he took with

him when he and the Queen

left Slam in 1934 for a grand

Siamese Army, Navy and Air

Force officers accompanied the

party, and the Siamese National

Anthem was played by a British

Princess Rhambai Inspected a

placed on a pedestal in an ante-

room to the Queen's cabin where

they will remain during the

in the Royal Palace at Bangkok.

ship's library.—Reuter.

They will ultimately be placed

Before the liner sailed members of the Siamese household

FLOODS DESTROY

VILLAGES

Before boarding the liner

The casket and Buddha were

The bronze casket containing

flown from the liner's yard-

exile in Britain.

diented in 1935.

European tour.

military band.

guard of honour.

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TODAY'S WEATHER: Light or moderate Easterly winds. Cloudy, occasional rain, improving and becoming warmer. Noon Observations: Barometric pressure, 10181, mbs., 30.06 in. Temperature, 74.8 deg. F. Dew point, 69 deg. F. Relative humidity, 83. Wind direction, NE. Wind force, 7 knots.

Low water: 1 ft. at 7.46 p.m. High water: 3 ft. 9 in. at

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# Returning

# Lvacuees Railway Station

#### VICTORY REDS?

Shanghai, May 2 .- The wild exodus from threatened Hangchow, key point in the Nationalist defence line running from Ningpo on the coast to Nanchang in Kiangsi Province, is in full swing following the evacuation of the scenic Chekiang capital by the Provincial Government, military and police, according to semi-official reports here this morning.

Refugees, with little bundles of possessions, are said to be pouring out of the abandoned city to the south and south-west as Red units continued approaching the strategic centre from the north.

Hangchow Railway Station is reported to be packed tight with a mass of struggling humanity numbering over 15,000 impatiently awaiting trains to speed them to safety along the only communication artery to the south—the Hangchow-Nanchang Railway.

But according to the official Central News Agency they will probably have to wait a long time before they see another train as the Chekiang-Kiangsi Railway Administration has temporarily suspended its service between the Kiangsi and Chekiang capitals after exhausting its coal supply. The Shanghai-Hangchow Railway, however, is reported to be still operating normally although there is no longer any fixed schedule for

and Embassy officials paidmakes no mention of the Nationlist forces abandoned on ter. homage to the ex-Queen in the military situation around Saturday night after enagaging Hangchow but hints again of a the Communiste in a pitched new threat to Shanghai from battle.

trains.

force in Changshu, 50 miles on the Nanking-Shanghai Rail- the Nationalists in the Nankingnorth-west of Shanghai, "con- way, the communique claimed Shanghai-Hangchow area. tinued to be strengthened" and that the Communist 29th Army The Reds said eight Chinese to-hand scuffles. waters swept down the eastern tinued to be strengthened and that the Communist 29th Army The Reds said eight Chinese slopes of the Atlas Mountains Identified the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and that the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped and the Red force in occurred were the red force in occurred when the red force in occurred were the red force in occurred when the red force in occurred were the red force in occurred when the red force in occurred were the red force when the red force in occurred were the red force when the red force in occurred were the red force when the red force were the red force were the red force when the red force were the red force when the red force were the red force when the red force were the red force were the red force when the red force were the red force when the red force were the re

cattle herds and crops, Tho Chen Yi's 31st Army. swollen Moulaya River carried At the same time the com- forces. away several of its bridges. munique mentioned that the At Missour, a town between situation in Tuicheung, about have suffered heavy casualties. the Middle and Upper Atlas 30 miles north-west of Shang- In Kiangsi Province Comranges, six Arabs were drowned, hai, was calm and that the munist General Liu Po-cheng's

Marrakesh was estimated at there was very high. mitted the loss of the highway voluntary withdrawal of Na-

"CREAT VICTORY"

To the west of Kunshan, voicecast on Sunday night It said that the Communist about 35 miles west of Shanghai claimed a "great victory" over today, destroying Arab villages, cupation of that city as General vicinity of Weiting when out" and portions of four other

The Red force was said to 20th, 28th, 41st, 51st, 66th 88th, and 99th armies as "wiped out". It said the bulk of the 21st Damage in the Dester region of morale of Nationalist troops troops entered Pengise, a few The Garrison statement ad- port of Klukiang, after a

> "All news reports to be supplied to local or other cities banners and cheered this new abroad are to be submitted to attempt but their cheers were censorship."

The letter said censorship became effective on April 30. It listed five classes of "prohibited" reports and said, "offenders are banners. liable to be punished according to martial law."

The following were listed as

the anti-Communist war. All Hyde Park, which came under editorials and reports detrimental the temporary ban on political to public safety or order. All processions in London recently rumours to disturb the people's imposed by the Home Secreconfidence. All propaganda for tary, Mr Chuter Ede. Communists. All editorials or reports detrimental to co-operation between the army and the hundred people had gathered

daily to the censors' office, Left-wing publications, Banners established in the Central Daily against the plinth of the famous (Before its imposition, the bright, Spring sunshine,

GARRISON COMMUNIQUE Further evidence that Com-

munist exertions are towards Hangchow and not Shanghat was contained in the Garrison communique issued on Sun-More than 3,000 Reds at- march into the Square.

tacked Wukinng, a small rall town about 10 miles South of Soochow on the old Soochow-Kashing rallway, which has not been in operation for reveral years.

The communique said "after a | before order was restored. violent battle, the defending army retreated towards a second Pingwang is another rall stop Square, and the meeting pro- meeting. Dr Jessup has been tial difficulties yet remain. defence line near Pingwang. about 13 miles farther south, ceeded. The communique indicated the fighting occurred on the Western

Lopen on Sunday morning.

(Continued on Page 5)

side of the old rail line and within 15 miles of Kashing. Kashing is the junction of the Soochow-Hangchow and Shang- then rushed into the read to . hal-Hanchow railroads. Its march to Cranbourne Street expected to discuss the Intest len, Counsellor of the State tured. capture would cut the Shanghal- where the Communist Secretary, developments with Mr Dean Department, an expert, on The U.S. military authori-

### London Demonstrators Padlock Themselves To Railings

London, May 1.-Nine young demonstrators, believed to be Communists, chained and padlocked themselves to the railings of the American Embassy in Grosvenor Square, Mayfair, tonight, and shouted anti-American slogans and distributed leaflets.

After earlier clashes in Trafalgar Square, a strong force of mounted and foot police moved tonight into the East End of London, where Sir Oswald Mosley, the former British Union of Fascists leader, arrived in Ridley Road, the East End storm centre, for a May Day "social evening" with his supporters. The Union Movement chief was greeted by a storm of cheers mingled with boos and hisses as he arrived, standing erect in a big American touring car.

Ridley Road, situated in a largely Jewish-populated area, has, since the end of the war, been the scene of repeated violent clashes between Mosley supporters, who staged meetings there, and anti-Fascists.

Mosley's "social evening" was held in a public house, while a crowd of several thousand surged outside, held in check by the police. When Sir Oswald left the public house, the crowd had dwindled to a few dozen. Boos and shouts of "Down with Fascism" competed with cheering by Mosley supporters as he drove off.-Reuter.

## May Day In London Marked By Fights With Police

### COMMUNISTS ATTEMPT TO DEFY

London, May 1 .- Police and May Day demonstrators clashed in the British capital today in a swaying battle lasting over two hours as Communists and their supporters tried to form processions in defiance of the official ban on political marches.

At one stage anti-Communists, including Mosley supporters, entered the fray, attacking marchers who attempted to reach Trafalgar Square, traditional centre for public meetings, close to Whitehall, the Government quarter.

quarters war, communique south of Soochow watch the the communique added.—Reu- of violent incidents, police on to break up - the procession as stalled amid the milling, fighting centrated on seizing the ban-Shanghai, May 2.—The ners carried by the demonstra-Peiping Communist radio in a tors, tearing them to shreds and breaking the staves.

> The demonstrators, including many girls and women, engaged the constables in hand-

Policemen lost their helmets in the melee, and their horses The broadcast listed the 4th, were hit.

-Acting-upon\_what\_appeared to be a signal a large body of Communists managed to form themselves into a procession with banners hoisted but the

#### police quickly dispersed them. CROWDS BOO

Other Communists in the Square waved their flags and drowned by crowds who booed in chorus.

Some people helped the police tear down Communist

The Trafalgar Square meeting was organised by the London Trades Council in place of its customary procession from "All editorials detrimental to the banks of the Thames in

> Shortly before 3 p.m. several in the Square.

Young people threaded their news reports must be submitted way among the crowds selling Nelson Column shone in the

> Dozens of extra police were stationed around the Square. Shortly before the meeting began, about a dozen young men and women carried small Red flags around the crowd. A group of Communists formed up in a nearby sifted, unfurled their banners and prepared to

### BANNERS TORN DOWN

got there first and banners were is that more talks will be ciple on the lifting of the 10. and children alike are affected. torn down and blows exchanged held, presumably some time month old Berlin blockade and

Mounted police were brought ther attempts to march into the France will join in the next justment, or whether substan-

carrying furled banners. Large groups of demonstrators inp of the blockade.

Towards the end of a series | The police counter-attacked double-decker buses were

### Peiping Also Celebrates

San Francisco, May 1 .-May Day parade scenes in China's Red capital, Pciping, included a procession made up as "enemies of the people-Uncle Sams linked arms with Japanese generals and John Bulls dragging on strings of battleships called Amethyat".

This was reported today by the Communist Pelping Radlo which says that millions of people participated in the celebrations in hundreds of towns and

Above the gates of Pelping's old Forbidden City two giant portraits of Mae Tse-tung and Commander-in-Chief Chu

Teh were set up. Banners called for increased production and the transformation of China into an industrial country.

\_Reuter.

Mr Pollitt. - at his meeting. told a crowd of 2,000 that in China "the second greatest event | In modern world history" was Autumn, being brot ght to its "tremendous conclusion." The first was the Russian

Revolution of 1917, and the second, shortly to be witnessed, was the culminating event of "the entire Chinese continent coming under the Red flag of TORNADOES Socialism."

The British Communist leaders called for the "immediate recognition , of the Chinese Democratic Government," the withdrawal of all: British warships from Chinese waters, and the sending of special ambassadors to Nanking to open trade negotiations with the new China,-Rsuter.

PELTED WITH EGGS Thurnscoe, Scuth Yorkshire, here today. The eggs struck Texas. D a m a g e s in three of the chief speakers, Oklahoma alone were exwho carried on the meeting pected to exceed \$1,000,000. despite the miners' hostile attitude, and heckling.

The demonstrations followed questions from speciators about national guardsman, was killed the action of the Chinese Communists in firing on British warships in the Yangtse River recently.-Reuter.

### DIE AIR CRASH

### Berlin Airlift Disaster

Berlin, May 1 .- A British airlift plane missing since Saturday was found today crashed in the Soviet zone with all four members of the crew dead,

The plane, a four engined Halton returning from Berlin to Western through the Hamburg corridor, was found near Nauen about 20 miles Northwest of Berlin. The police notified the Allied Air Safety Centre here and two Royal Air Force officers confirmed the information.

An RAF mission was dispatched to get Soviet approval to remove the bodies. The mission will also try to find out from examination of the wreckage what caused the

The plane was operated by World Air Freight, a civil 'line. The crash lifted the airlift death toll to 51, including, 23

British and 28 Americans. The British side of the nirlift was inspected yesterday by Mr Geoffrey de Freitas, Under Sceretary of State for Air. He told correspondents that the British plan to bring in more and more four engined planes to replace, twin engine Dakotas and thereby trable the

tonnage brought to Berlin. The Americans shifted to all four engined planes last Mr de Freitas left Gatow

airport for Luebeck and a quick tour of the British zone .-Associated Press.

# 10 DEATHS

Oklahoma City, May 1 .--At least ten persons were counted dead today and more than 70 injured in a May 1.-Two hundred miners crazy quilt pattern of bombarded with bad eggs a tornadoes that roared across small Communist group holding Oklahoma and a section of

> There was a possibility of more deaths as unconfirmed reports in Oklahoma said a and another missing. The twisters struck Northeast Texas and: Central Oklahoma inte yesterday and lashed con through the night. The gales struck mostly at sparsely-

settled areas, minimizing the extent of casualties. Farm houses and other buildings were damaged, cars smashed, trees uprooted and electric lines were torn down

by the winds.-United Press.

### Mystery Illness Kills 8 People

Nicosia, Cyprus, May 1.- A mystery illness in the village of Aska in the Nicosia district of Cyprus and today taken the lives of eight villagers while 18 are seriously, ill.

Doctors, who have not yet found the cause of the out-Nobody knows which party is | So far, there has been no break, describe the symptoms going to do that or when it will official indication whether or as of the influenza type followa Council of Foreign Ministers' that the disease is localised and

Frankfurt, May 1. -- An American military policeman would seem to put the Reds Eastern districts, many of them ture of his informal exploratory Acheson, who was spending the who was off duty went on a talks regarding a possible lift- weekend at his Maryland farm, wild shooting spree in Stutt-He has also had detailed dis- gart today and killed three The American spokesman is cussions with Mr Charles Boh- Germans before he was cap-

### EDITORIAL

Reuter

100 million francs.-

### Russia Changing Her Policy

FIRST rumours that Russia was willing to modify her policy in Germany to the extent of lifting the Berlin blockade have given place to more tangible signs, notably Soviet-sought talks between Mr Malik, the Russian delegate to the United Nations, and Dr Jessup of the United States, as well as obvious preparations on the part of the Soviets for the resumption of traffic between Eastern and Western Germany. The significant aspect of the current moves, to end the Berlin blockade is that the initiative has come from Russla; moreover there is attached a condition not unacceptable to the Western Powers-n meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers. Hitherto Russians have insisted that they would lift the blockade only on condition that firstly the currency question was satisfactorily (to them) settled and that the Western Powers agreed to remove their counter-blockade. But now the Russians are taking a much more reasonable line. They do not demand that the currency problem be solved prior to the lifting of the blockade: this question they are now prepared to have discussed by the Council of Foreign Ministers. But there is still a point remaining to be elucidated beyond .all possible. doubt: that is, whether the Soviet Government has in mind to set any unacceptable prior conditions to the proposed timetable of flying a date for the Council of Foreign Ministers followed by the simultaneous lifting of the Berlin blockade and counter-blockade. It would be quite an unacceptable precondition, for example, if the Russian Government were to demand any delay in the establishment of a Government in Western Germany, now expected to take place towards the middle of July. For the course of events which have led to the setting up of a German administration in the West

have consistently taken the view that the achievement of a genuinely independent, democratic government for Germany as a whole must be the ultimate goal of Allied policy, and despite the severe setback to international co-operation resulting from Soviet obstructionism as early as the Autumn of 1945, these Powers attempted throughout the period up to the breakdown of the Council of Foreign Ministers in December, 1947, to reach an agreement with the Soviet Government on a single Allied policy for Germany. But the London meeting of the Council late in 1947 made it plain that the Russian Government was more concerned with the delivery of propaganda speeches directed at the German public than with reaching an agreement, and the Western Powers had no alternative but to pursue an independent course for the establishment of a where the setting up of this government

is well known. The Western Powers German Government for Eastern Germany. A point has now been reached is in sight, and, quite naturally the Western Powers are resolved that in no circumstances will the holding of any meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers be allowed to interfere with or deflect them from their plans to establish a German Government for Western Germany. This can be regarded as an essential precondition on the part of the Western Powers for any high level talks concerning the lifting of the Berlin blockade, and any attempt by the Soviets to strike a bargain that involved surrender of this position will be flatly rejected. Lifting of the Berlin blockade is highly desirable, but not at the expense of the Western Powers' democratic policy, so carefully developed and so clearly beneficial to the German

### army and parts of the 46th, 54th and 96th armies were "routed." There was no Nationalist confirmation of this Red claim. In a letter delivered late Sunday afternoon, the Shanghai Garrison informed the Press: prohibited: The letter said two copies of following reports were issued from Shanghal:)

### LIFTING BERLIN BLOCKADE TALKS Telephone Call May Do

The Trick Washington, May 1 .- The only thing needed to fix another American-Soviet meeting on the Berlin blockade problem is a telephone call, a State

Department spokesman said tonight. The next meeting between Dr Philip Jessup, the United States Ambassador-at-large, and M. Jacob Malik, the Soviet delegate to the United Nations, will be called when one or the other party picks up the telephone and requests a further talk, the spokesman added.

but a hostile section of the crowd be done, he said. What is known not an understanding in prin- ed by pneumonia, Men, women

this week. into position to prevent any fur- ent is whether Britain and keeping the British and French At the same time hundreds of representatives, Sir Alexander people were walking towards the Cadogan and M. Jean Chauvel Washington today, has report-

Hangchow line, which was still Mr Harry Pollitt, was due to ad- Acheson, the U.S. Secretary of Russian policy, and with Mr. ties said the soldier was under ...... dress a Communist-organised State, when Mr Acheson re- Dean Rusk, the Assistant Se- the influence meeting. turns here tomorrow.

Another question of the mom- meeting has been reached, unlikely to spread to adjoining leaving only the details for ad- villages .- Associated Press.

Dr Jessup, who remained in

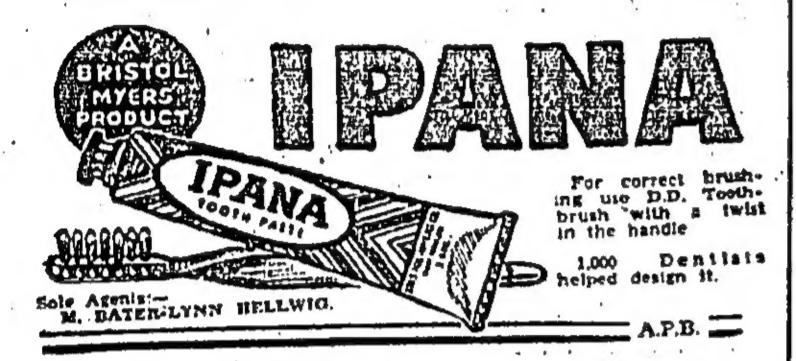
centre of the city from the respectively, informed of the na- ed on the telephone to Mr. Continued on Page 5)

TP your gums flash a warning tinge of "pink" on your tooth brush, consult your dentist.

There may be nothing seriously wrong . . but don't take chances . . . let your d'entist decide. He may explain "a simple case of tender gums - gums robbed of work by to-day's soft and creamy foods". His advice will probably be "more work and resistance for lazy gums," and often, "the helpful stimulation of Ipana Tooth Paste and massage".

Adopt this simple dental health routine: Brush your teeth with Ipana every morning and evening, followed by vigorous gum massage with Ipana on the finger-tip. Teeth become brighter, more lustrous; gums firmer, healthier.

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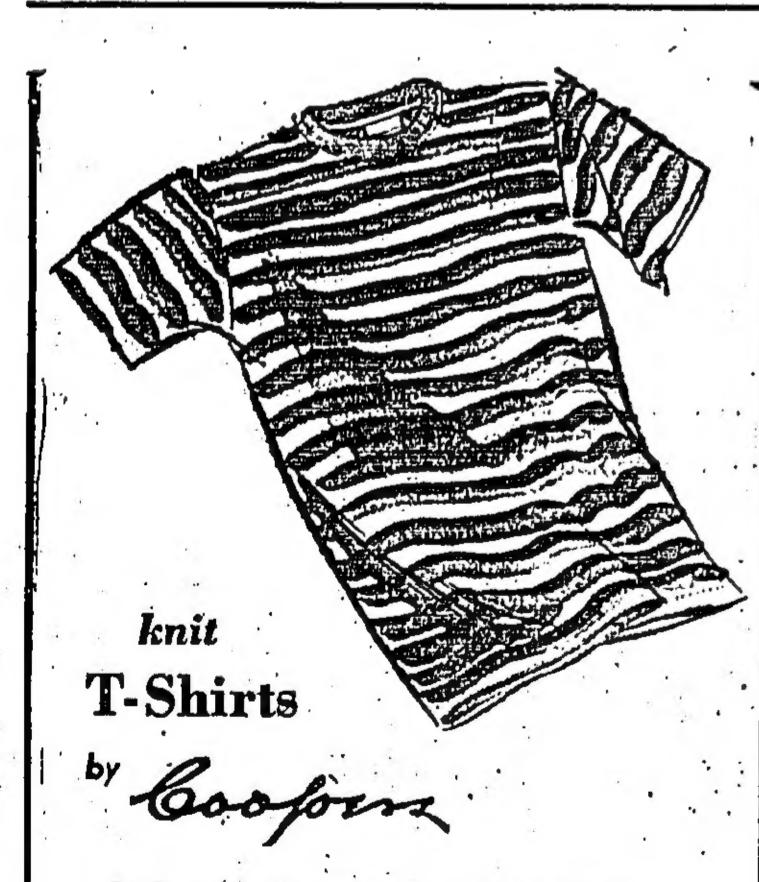
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In the army, the navy and war plants millions of men learned there is nothing as comfortable for summertime as a "skivvy" - the knit "T-shirt" with short sleeves that absorbs perspiration while it lets the breezes in. Now Coopersthe folks who make famous Jockey Underwear have styled up these shirts for civilian wear. In smart colors and stripes -- color-fast -- washable. Lay in a supply now and enjoy them all summer long.

Available at Hong Kong's Leading Stores.

### Eight shopgirls get the chance be models

blondes and one brunette as models.

mannequins, and is giving them the chance to prove it.

"I have spent some strenuous evenings training the girls, but they are keen to learn and the effort is worth it," she said today. "The models are in their late toens and early twenties and From scores of volunteers carn £4 to £4 10s. a week has chosen a team of working in the store's various

Twenty-year-old Mrs Enid Roland (5ft. Sin. tall, 35in. bust, Mrs Judith Searle, attractive 25in, waist and 30in, hips), is so

Buyer Mrs Searle and Instructress Betty White with Ivy Denham

Paper Draperies, New

In The Modern Home

bring with them thoughts

of new drapes, new wall have turned-over edges with a coverings, and, in general thread concealed in the folds, which makes them tear proof at the house. Most of us will

come a long, long way since the window is narrow.

drapes and cause black stains, cloth wiping.

which makes them nice for Modern Swedish piece are

country cottages and such. Be- attracting much attention

cause of improved printing whenever shown. An excellent

even get an occasional going- interior is a round, revolving

over with slightly damp cloth, dining table, that, when not in

without having the colour regular use, can be lowered to

smudge: Then some papers coffee table height. It comes

-PRELIMINARIES

MANY stores today advise brushed out or even lifted out

washing-or at least rin- with a vacuum cleaner.

their introduction, and offer a

wonderful range of colour

New Draperica

sing-new nylon or silk hose

before wearing them. The idea

is to remove any finish used in

manufacture at the start, and

thus help stockings to wear

longer. Clothing specialists of

the U.S. Department of Agri-

culture suggest that this pre-

washing also may make for a

closer, neater fit the first time

DE sure overshoes are clean

over shoes. Otherwise they may

the hose are worn.

absorbent.

Rosemary Robinson, Enid Roland, Patrica Little and Ann Brown.

Popular designs

a polish before

wearing them the first time. A

shoes out with extra protection

against spots, stains and seut-

fing. The same suggestion

holds good for smooth leather

purses or pocketbooks.

cont of good wax polish starts

like most of the other girls, wants in Richmond have something to to become a professional model. offer the West End," Comman-

"My husband and I both sell be- been the store's fashion buyer for theatre tickets for a living and it lieves its sales girls six months, thought of the iden, would give us something different to talk about," she said.
"Also, I might be able to earn enough money to have someone help me do my housework."

> If any of the girls show special keenness and promise Mrs Searle will try to find them full-time have job as a model, as "It would be much." unfair to hold them back although we are most anxious keep them ourselves."

> > AT THE STORE

"The plan is proving a trewoman in her thirties, who has thrilled with the idea that she, mendous success, and I think we

der Sydney Smith, general manager of the store said.

"Training is continuing, but a first experimental show went without a mishap and all the girls looked beautiful.

"If we had to employ professional models we could never have put on the show as it would have cost us three times as

"Professional models are very temperamental and ours are charming and easy to work with.

"To show our gratitude we have\_given them each a pair of nylons and a hair-set. "And the chairman is so pleas-

them; all out to lunch in the West End and to a theatre after."



Back at her hairdressing job, Ann Brown attends to a customer.

### Flies, Agent In Spread Of Diseases By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

WITHEN typhoid fever was a S glinting into the house By ELEANOR ROSS to a generous oval, and all in W much more prevalent dislease than it is at present, it all, is a very new and different

or perhaps a new piece of colour drapes as well as two- a neat consolation prize in the nowadays are important in meat platter. colour stripes, and others are form of a really wonderful spreading other diarrhocal While it would be fine to printed to simulate woven underlay, rubber, over quarter diseases, particularly what is "I keep it just for the purposes rich. But as most of us prefer have—some—of—the—new—fibre—draperies.—One-line—comes with of an inch thick. It is just like known as bacillary dysentery, of prune and pecan souffle," ex- dry white sugar, the purifying: ies, many of us, especially if simulate tassels, and there are makers claim that these under- infection.

### DDT Used

residing in temporary quarters, separate tie-backs. Another laps are just about impervious that paper draperies have gathered onto the rod, if carpet cushion does cost a carried out. The towns in the graced if a souffle of mine should trifle more than the regular country were divided into two ever fall!" · hair type underlays but it has similar areas. One set of towns so many advantages, is so was sprayed every six weeks pleasant to the feet, that one with DDT. During this time, design and style, and better standby, florals, are still the soon forgets the price dif- the number of files in the towns was determined by making periodic counts, If it was noted that the number of flies was increasing, treatment with the DDT was again carried out, sometimes as often as

> twice a week. The other set of towns was left untreated. Children of both towns were studied carefully by making cultures of the stools for the Shigella germs, and a careful study was made of all deaths from diarrhoeal diseases.

As the use of DDT progressed, a decrease in the number of cases of diarrhoea due to Shigella infection in the treated towns, was noted.

number of cases of diarrhoea in in a sauce pan. Add 2 thsp. flour Spread half the chopped onton the sets of towns was also re- and stir together until blended, on this; put in the fillets, dot versed. In other words, as the Gradually add 34 c. milk, and with 1 thsp: butter or shortening number of flies increased cook and stir until boiling, and add the remaining onion diarrhoen increased. It would Separate 3 eggs, Beat the whites mixture. Bake about 40 min. in seem, therefore, that there is stiff and the yolks until very a moderate oven, 350-375 F. a direct relationship between thick. Add the yolks to the mix- Serve plain, or with heated tinthe number of flies and the ture in the sauce pan. Stir in 3 ned tomale sauce, or for a very sprend of diarrhoeal infections, thep. sugar and 1/2 c. coarse- dressed up meal, use real Hol-

Everyone should accept, as a the number of flies.

#### What Makes Us Young

It is possible to have a very

### Don't Use Soiled Powder Puff



A smart compact is a good-grooming accessory every girl needs. This one has a flowered enamel cover and a deep well to hold powder.

By HELEN FOLLETT

sive, should be bought by the if it is inclined to be oily. dozen so there will always be a clean, fresh one at hand. If they are washed carefully they compact is under indictment will not mat.

desks in offices. Some day forward, no doubt about it. there will be provided other means of putting on the dull Let the careless girl who lets finish, some substitute will be her powder pad rattle round day. Let us hope.

cream. Then she will fastidi- powder pull often.

FITHE soiled powder pad is ously wash her sacred phiz I nothing less than a menace, with soap and water. After drying she will ply the powder Women will fling money for pad that forces soil into the cosmetics, perfumes and pro- pores. This practice is a comfessional attentions at the mon source of blackheads that beautery and will use the same develop into nene. Teen-ngers, old powder ; bag for months, especially, must take pains to It does not make sense. These keep, the cutaneous surface lamb's wool items are inexpenserupulously clean, especially

The little pad in the rouge though that, in its case, isn't' likely to pick up much dust. They kick around the draw- Maybe some bright cosmetice of the dressing table when chemist will hit upon the idea they should be kept in a cei- of throwing in half a dozen lophane envelope. One sees little pads with every compact. them lying on dust-covered It would be a hygienic step-

Let the careless girl who lets: designed that is more samtary, lose in her purse refrain from that can be thrown away even lamenting it she picks up a. skin infection, A smart compact is a good-grooming acces-A girl will take great pains sory every girl should have to remove make-up with Just be sure to replace the

was known that the control IF fried chicken is outside your animal bedding—some of it to of flies was important in help- budget, the Chef suggests a make wall board.) ing to prevent the spread of brown-veal casserole. Minnie's Next the juice is purified and

### Towns Reversed

towns previously treated were pepper. not sprayed, and, in the other towns, DDT spraying was employed. When this happened, the

# Let's Eat IDA BAILEY ALLEN A Fried Chicken Luncheon

have to put up with something line has a two-piece valance to wear and should outlast To show that flies could dare breathe until it goes to the dried, in the white colour and less exotic. So it is nice to find of matching design that can be even a new rug. Of course this carry this disease, a study was dining-room. I'd sure feel dis- form with which we are familiar.

Citrus Fruit Cup Fried Chicken Mushroom Sauce Fluffy Mashed Potatoes Tomato and Lettuce Salad Young Onions Prune and Pecan Souffle Coffee

All Measurements Are Level

### Mushroom Sauce

Melt 11/2 tbsp. butter or margarine in a sauce pan. Stir in 14 thsp. flour, and continue to cook and stir until it turns light brown. Gradually stir in 1c. tinned consomme or beef bouillon, or use 1 c. water and 1 bouillon cube. Add 1 (3 oz) tin mushrooms with the liquid (either mushroom crowns or slicod or chopped Baked Fish Fillets Louisiana After a period of time, the mushrooms). Bring to boiling treated and untreated towns point. Add the juice 1/4 lemon were reversed; that is, the and season to taste with salt and

### Prune and Pecan Souffle

particularly the Shigella dy chopped, drained stewed prunes landaise. mixed with 14 .c. fine-chopped pecans. Fold this into the beaten duty, his part in keeping down egg whites. Transfer to a shallow qt.-sized baking dish. Bake 25 Allow 1 small green tipped min. In a moderately hot oven, banana for each person. Cut off 350-375 F. Serve immediately, the tips, Peel the bananas and with soft custard or a thickened halve lengthwise. Then cut each sauce made of stewed prunes and half in two, making 4 sections juice, or with whipped cream.

### Sugar in the Making.

sugar cane fields, and watched melted. Bake about 12 min. in a huge machines cutting the cane, moderate oven, 375 F., or until This was loaded on trucks, taken the banana is soft. Basto occathrough cane knives which sliced and cut it into convenient small pieces. Then for the pressing out\_ -(I G Greenough) to make feed, poultry litter and dered basil for a new flavour.

coverings, and, in general new furnishings throughout the house. Most of us will be glad to settle for something new, be it draperies. the living room done over, the living room done over, or perhaps a new piece of colour drapes as a new piece of colour able nutritionally speaking, because it is vitamin and mineral glass or nylon taffeta draper- a one-piece valance printed to treading on air, and the infaction and thin on the edge, and high filtering, and evaporating, when as a levee on top. But you don't the sugar is crystallised, and

> "All this tremendous work and machinery, and all this money that is invested to transform a plant that grows in the earth to a food that everybody can useand afford, it is fantastique," remarked the Chef. "I understand this big Business was founded more than 100 years ago by a small business man with hardly any capital. But he was a good' merchant"

"Oul, Monsieur." I added: "it'sa fine example of the good old American system of individual opportunity and free enterprise."

### Dinner

Onion Soup with Cheese Croutons Baked Fish Fillets Louisiana Flaky Rice Celery and Tomato-Baked Bananas with Jelly " Coffee or Tea . Milk (Children)

For this use 1 lb. fresh or frozen fish fillets of any kind. Wash and dust with salt and pepper, Next peel and fine-chop I large onion; add 14 c. minced parsely; Oil a shallow casserole or baking Put 2 thep, butter or margarine dish suitable for table service.

### Baked Bananas with Jelly

from one banana. Place in a buttered or margarined baking dishi Pour over 4 cacurrant or other tart Jelly combined with 3 thsp. After lunch we drove to the orange or tangerine juice, and

### Trick Of The Chaf

.When stewing celery and tocane pulp that remains is used mate together, add a little pow-



design.

Dining Room Group



By VERA-WINSTON

A SKIRT, A CAPELET and a old body and a very young blouse shape up into a nice cos- heart. It is not the calendar and tume. The blouse is of white the birthday book that deter-Inside before pulling them WHERE there's rub, there's mousseline do sole tucked in mine your age. It is the soul Ilkely to be a hole in socks. crossbar effect. The skirt has a within, and the eyes you look soil or discolour shoes, cloth- To save wear and eventual one-sided pannier drape and an out with, and the mind that to mill conveyors, and passed sionally with the jelly mixture. ing specialists of the U. S. De- holes at heel of too, rub on a inverted pleat in front, and is thinks and the heart that feels. partment of Agriculure say. little wax or paraffin. It will topped by a leather belt. The It is health that makes young Rubbing the inside of over- not show, will last through enpelet has dolmanlike sleeve blood; not mere health of body, shoes with a damp cloth occa- several washings, will case the effect. The fabric is black crepe but health of temper, health of of the sweet fuice. (Part of the sionally helps keep them clean, rub that causes the hole and with a vivid print in red, white affection.

# WORLD



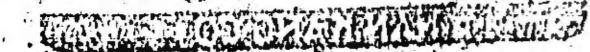
NEW OVER OLD-Phantom jet fighters of the 2nd United States Marine Air Wing fly over ancient El Morro which guarded the harbour of San Juan, Puerto Rico, for more than four centuries.



FULL HOUSE-Any firemen looking for a mascot should drop in on Engine Co. 183 in Chicago. "Bum," mascot of the fire-fighters, gazes proudly at the camera while supervising the actions of her six little puppies. The young ones have a long way to go before suitably filling the boots of their masters.



MAJORCAN, ART.-Mrs Dina Bowden shows a painting by Vicente Mulet, at a Majorcan art exhibition in Borkeley, California





REHEARSAL STOP-Two well-dressed students play pool after rehearsing Harvard University's Hasty Pudding Club show, "Tomorrow Is Manana."



UNITED AGAIN—Three generations of new Americans, the adults of which spent years in Nazi concentration camps, leave New York for Denver, Colorado, en route from Germany. They are, left to right, Mrs Abraham Berneman; her husband, Abraham; their child, Rackel; Mendel and Manys Walzman; and Mrs Rifka Walzman, mother of Mrs Berneman and the Walzman brothers.



OLD SOLDIER-Three of 56 WACs assigned to the U.S. Military Academy look over the memorial to



PATTERN FOR A WINDOW-J. Gordon Guthric, of Durham and Son, draws a full-size carteen from his design for a stained glass window for St Peters Lutheran Church, New York.



CHANCE MEETING-Little Jeanne Christiansen is



AT WORK AT DAM SITE Jackhammers drill a base for tail-towers of a cableway for pouring 3,000,000 cubic yards of concrete at Hungry Horse Dam in northwest Montana. The men are working on the canyon wall, 600 feet above a river. The \$100,000,000 project will be the world's fourth largest.



HANDWRITING ON THE WALL-Adjudged a winner in his division at the National Western Livestock Show in Denver, Cupid doesn't know it but his days are numbered. Boot manufacturer Harry Schwarz gives owner Miss Lois Mae Hamm a token pair of boots. The 15-year-old miss will receive a pair made from the slaughtered bull's hide in the near future.



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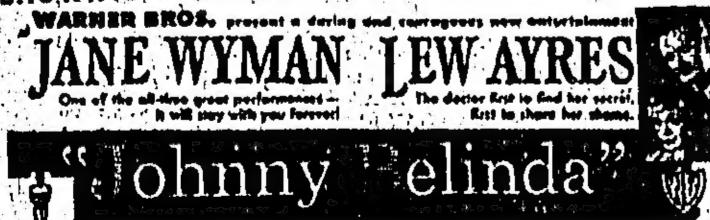
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Jane WYMAN wins The Academy Award, 1948. For her performance in this picture. NEXT CHANGE

Valerie HOBSON in ""THE SMALL VOICE"



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# Happy land where people dom't care whether it is RONALD W. BAXTER WICHIGANY OF FIGUREY

HE prisoners were enjoying their picnic until the two warders began quarrelling and brandishing their rifles.

The convicts 'disarmed them and marched them back to prison. So when the prisoners inter went on a hunding expedition the warders were the only ones without shotgung

This happened in Sarawak, Britain's newest colony, and a country unique on earth.

Without lawyers, soldiers. Communists, trains, or time, it has a Lewis Carroll touch which the population are fighting to

### Fabulous days

Lands of White Rainhs for more than 100 years until cession to the Empire in 1946, Sarawak still dreams of the fabulous days of those benevolent aristocrats, the Brookes.

Then the poorest rickshawpuller could visit the rajah's palace, and in a personal chat complain to the ruler of any injustice or grievance.

Now the rickshaw man must send n\_letter-to-a-Government department and hope for the best.

Most of the people realise the economic necessity for being at one with the Empire. What they object to is the threat that the personal touch may vanish.

"In the old days," said one resident, "the Government called an 'animal husbandry centre, wak." We are not used to that sort of thing."

And then there are colonial out from Britain first class to last-Rance, was showing "Lives investigate, say, the prospects of a Bengal Lancer." for growing cocoa.

They are wined and dined in Sarawak, spend a few very all that cocon would be a hope- Then Sarawak gets them. less proposition.

that from the beginning.

If you are tired of looking at your watch you might like to try a spell in Sarawak.

In Kuching, the country's tiny cepital, I was in an argument: What day is it? It ended by everyone agreeing that it didn't matter.

One old Dyak-member of the principal native tribe—has 14 clocks (and five pictures of Princess Elizabeth) in his riverside house. All the clocks tell different times.



In traditional dress, Dyaks mount a hewn stepladder to a Sarawak house.

"I buy them because it shows them Dyaks who used to hunt I'm prosperous," he said, "but heads but are now turning out a cowshed a cowshed. Now it is time means nothing in Sara- to be model Empire citizens.

For amusements, Kuching has n cinema and a police band concert every Wednesday aftercend on the country. They sail boon. The cinema, built by the

and the walter brought me make good." Wined and dined Scotch and sodas every half

At first the arrivals from Bripleasant weeks travelling about tain-especially women - go the country-and decide after nearly crazy with boredom,

Alan Dant, a young trader Everyone in Sarawak knew from London, told me: "I'm in love with the place, and my wife is, too."

A Government official said he disliked going home on leave because everyone was so impatient.

had to wait forty-five ashtray stolen. minutes for a train at Reading." he 'said.' "People were cursing joyed myself during the time," tour the region.

There are half a million During the Japanese occupapeople. in Sarawak-half of tion the Dyaks showed their

The administrators love them

and prophesy a great future.

officer who "rules" 46,000 people, told me: "They've got everything - intelligence, I sat in a wicker armchair, ty, honesty, and the will to helps Brooke's cause by making

when the ship Rajah Brooken

To offset their disappointment, they were invited to tour the vessel. Thousands toured the decks, cabins, and lounges calls itself a bus will completely trapezed. domage was done nor a single new destination eard depending enly unfair, it is usually fatal to forfeits £1,250 for every lb. he

The Dyaks are so honest that all around, but I was quite the residents (administrators) FOOTNOTE: Sarawak (Borhappy. Why, I've waited days of large areas don't bother to neo) has an area of 50.000 for boats in Sarawak and en- lock their houses when they square miles, became a British shall be no more, villainous sodas just three years ago, is

violent pro-British sympathics by bringing out their old headhunting knives and decapitating hundreds of the invaders.

Some still talk about it.

"Remember that Jap who hit me with a rifle butt because didn't bow?" one will chuckle. "His head came off as easily as a banana stem."

At first the British were worried that head-hunting, extinct for years before the occupation, might revive.

But knives have been sheathed. Men are cutting their order to blunt any cut from be- rangements was going on.

had sunk his launch and stolen bassador LORD PERTH and all his equipment.

### Ran on to rock

This was so unlike the Dyaks that inquiries were made, A Dyak headman told what hap-

"The man was interfering men piloting his launch, ran it HE famous nine old ing them for once in business on to a rock. I had posted a Dyak on a nearby rock to savo the expert, for we didn't want to kill him.

"We saved all his equipment, Please come to fetch it."

Four hundred and fifty miles her father. nway, in Singapore, lives Anthony Brooke, directly in line of ling platinum blonde ex-model, succession to the Rajahship of will argue her own case. Sarawak.

.He is banned from his former country because Whitehall fears Dai Morgan, a young district his presence there might lead to trouble from Brooke supporters.

The people of Sarawak say loyal- this is nonsense and merely

### I was told about the time Union Jack flies

standard. But many people- questions." come back and thousands pad- British, Dyak, Malay, and Chidled down the river to meet nese-still wistfully recall the language before the nine old can make easy adjustments

on where you want to go. The the victim of the change," other passengers don't mind.

colony under an Act of Cession Redskins in the films. in May 1946. -(London Express Service)

# Willam

of Easter, Victoria sory, Station was all green and sun poured on the gold.

with their own comings and SIR STAFFORD. goings to stand and stare. Excited children clutched the first starting when cinema projectin buckets and spades of the tionists in 500 cinemas walked

Said the Man at the Barrier, work. punching one ticket in three, "Why, it's just like Easter '39." He had the wrong year.

The last of the really prewar Easters was 1938. On Good Friday a year later MUSSOLINI the Rev. RALPH ALLPORT, a chose to invade Albania, a week Weymouth Methodist who was or two after his mentor HITLER indignant over the cylls of torhad walked into Memel and toise-racing.

The Cabinet was recalled from holiday; the seasonal pie- YVONNE ARNAUD, ARTHUR ture of NEVILLE CHAMBER-LAIN swathed in net, salmonfishing, was not taken that year; faces of BETTE DAVIS, ROthere were trenches in St. James's Park, and the Continental departure platform at Victoria Station had few pas-

In short, we were having one of things to come was clearly CORTEZ. marked "Danger Ahead."

Flashback to Easter '38: The chocolute firms promised two extra bites in every twopenny bar; the stores were advertising women's dresses and coats at £1 for the two garments.

And yet, how little we've

ONE of those film fights about distribution ar-

Alexander Korda (not then Recently an expert from Sir) won this one, against MARY Malaya was sent up-river in PICKFORD and SAM GOLD-Sarawak. He returned soaking WYN. There was a goodwill wet with the story that Dyaks pact signed — between our Am-

COUNT CIANO in Rome. The murder of the moment was that of PERCY CASSER-

RUE to the tradi-tor, whose wife GEORGINA was accused of being an acces-

gold. The green was con- THERE was one of those stories about the tributed, in painted sign-boards and indicators, by to afford the upkeep of his state-British Railways. A timely ly home. Man was COUNT FRANCIS' JEREMIE HABS-BURG-LOTHRINGEN, of Bar-The DUKE OF WINDSOR sham Manor, Norfolk, but the waited for his Duchess-but villain of the piece then was most people were too concerned Hitler (who was hanging on to the Count's money) and not

There were two strikes-one out-one ending as 1,750 chemical workers went back to

> bulled that cliche about going to New York in search of plays for West End production. The week-end's outspoken-vient was

ON the West End stage HESSON. RISCOE, NERVO and KNOX could be seen-they still can. On the screens, the old familiar BERT TAYLOR, VIVIEN LEIGH, FRED ASTAIRE, JOAN FONTAINE, (HEDY LAMARRE was reserved for "Adults

Over the Eastertide ether came "In Town Tonight," "Palace of Varieties," the voices of those crises, and the shadow of VERA LYNN, LEON

> That the streets the women. Liv looked little different from today's lady of fashion. Skirts. were this year's length, hairstyles were similar. The men paraded in grey chalk-stripesmany of them probably the same suits they are wearing this year.

AND there was the head-RALS ARE OPTIMISTIC," DE ELLIOTT DODDS, presiding. over the youngsters of the party, told them that the country was ready for a complete political landslide which might. put the Liberals back in power "for a generation."

Even the date was the same. as this year. April 17, 1938, was Easter Sunday.

-(London Express Service).

# C. V. R. THOMPSON'S

New York. men of America's

for a treat. Instead of giving learned opinions on such dry things as and it's stored in my house, the U.S. Constitution, they are soon to sit in judgment on a

What is more, the girl, dazz-

New Jersey, is not a lawyer. What law she knows she picked up from the public library. But she did well enough in the lower courts to win her case. her mother's estate.

· An appeal court reversed the services "very objectionable." decision, and when she lodged an appeal against that reversal she was told she was too late. Mrs Gay is fighting that deci- can women promise to abandon

The days of the White Rajahs has filed a petition full of such time called the Pacumonia. ching. Dyaks for miles round are over, The Union Jack now appropriate phrases as "extant Look. Necklines will go up thought the Rajah himself had files instead of Brooke's own petitioner" and "substantive again, and as for the debatable She will drop that kind of cut with full hems so the buyer

old days which made Sarawak men. Sald she: "I want to tell according to her wish, them that the appeal court act- CHOW od like a circus manager chang-The sort of country where ing an acrobat's act while the even loday a box on wheels that star is in midair between the got too big for Tarzan, has change its route and stick up a "A change of that type is not

Red Indians, they said, are after star. too often portrayed as mean and

treacherous. Why not try show-

highest court are in IN-NEW-YORK the company which makes all the Stars. and Stripes flown from American flag poles was accused of an. unpatriotic act-defrauding the Government on £6,000, worth battle between a pretty girl and of bunting bought from it for

DRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SOcialised medicine programme Mrs Incz Gay, of Newark, ran into opposition from a fresh -and strong - quarter, the Christian Science Church. Speaking for the Church, James Watt said Christian Scientists, who rely wholly on prayer for which concerns the handling of treatment of their ailments, consider compulsory medical

TESIGNERS working out the autumn fashions for Amerision in the Supreme Court. Sho "the plunging neckline," some-

BUSINESS: Johnny Weismuller, whose waistline his new Jungle Jim series-he Twenty-one, Shirley Temple THREE CONGRESSMEN: from takes over the fortune she made I · Oklahoma arrived in Holly-, as a child star. ... Kirk Douglas, wood with a request that there who was mixing ice-cream

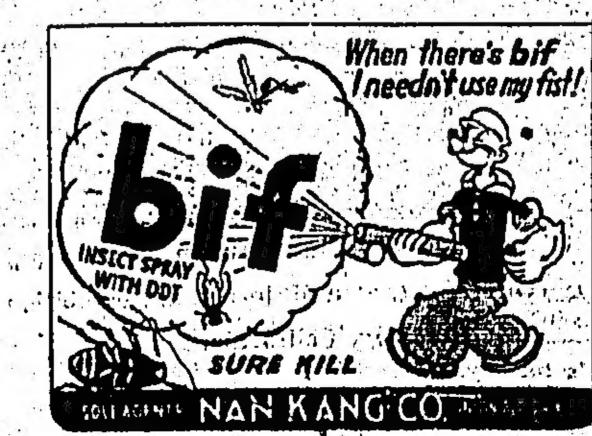
-- (London Express Service)

Stubble Trouble NANCY









# US "Cut-Costs" Group Steps Up Its Offensive

### HOME **ECONOMY** AND ABROAD URGED

Washington, May 1.—Leaders of the Senate's bipartisan economy bloc today stepped up their drive to cut costs, both at home and abroad, to American taxpayers.

The group is confident it can trim enough off home front military spending, foreign aid and the new arms for Europe programme to keep the Government's books in balance without weakening preparedness plans.

## To Take Over dividual members made these proposals: All Public Utilities

Buenos Aires, May 1.-President Juan Peron today announced that all public utilities not already owned by the government would be nationalised under the new Argentine constitution.

the opening session of the Con- covery spending, wherever gress, said that utilities would possible, on the basis of combe taken over by amicable modity price drops. agreement if possible, but would | The administration insists be expropriated "when their that the arms programme-pronwners refuse to accept reason- posed to back up the North able solutions."

taken over included "all those programme, but the 'economy which, due to their own particu- bloc favours balancing one lar natures, must be operated against the other, saving only to serve the community little here and a little there to without the nim of profit."

He mentioned transportation, telegraph services, waterworks, Countily, said in the meantime and sanitary installations.

directly to the remaining lary of the Communist Party, foreign-owned public facilities who is on trial in New York. Senate Committee hearings on in Argent'na, which are rela- would be called before his the North Atlande Treaty will. In a letter to Mr Wagner, tively few, but it was pre- Committee to "head up" op- enter their second week to- General MacArthur wrote: "This sumed that they would be position to the North Atlantic morrow with the unanimous distribution of bibles has my affected equally with the enter- alliance. The Committee hopes approval of the Committee hearty endorsement and I sinprises owned by Argentine pri- to finish the hearing of "friend- virtually assured and the pros- cerely request any assistance vate interests.

utilities "implies no limitation or incident to get the past to the Treaty in last week's "I have argently reduced the attacking Kunshan. restriction whatsoever on prithe nationalisation of manne helped to get the pact nego- to the Treaty in last week's titlities "implies no limitation or helped to get the pact nego- to the Treaty in last week's restriction whatsoever on privalet initiative, whose contribution in the industrial, comformer Secretary of War. Mr. Description in the industrial comtribution in the industrial comformer Secretary of War. Mr. Description in the industrial comtribution in the industrial, com- former Secretary of War, Mr pers of the Committee put who people 30,000,000 portions of the mercial or financial field is most. Report Potterson and the asked for permission to cross- Scripture other than the 1,000,--necessary to the development of former Supreme Court Justice, examine leading Gove every organised and democratic Mr. Owen Roberts will also be witnesses for ratification.

was devoted to total friendship gress, American Soviet Friend- the Treaty will be ratified by an pledging Argentina to friendship gress, American Soviet Friend- the Treaty will be ratified by an with all other American nations ship Council, Furriers' Joint overwhelming majority that they and reiterating Argentina's de- Council of New York, and the are directing their major efforts termination to press her claims National Committee of Arts, to "solling" in advance the in the Antarctic, particularly Sciences and Professions. - military assistance programme to the Falkland Islands .- United United Press.

### Gas Nationalised

the billion dollar gas industry today. in four years.-Associated Press. Jalaketu.-United Press.

Flushed with victory from last week's Senate vote which sent the labour Federal security bill back to the committee for an overall five per cent cut, in-

budget, as recommended by the Hoover Commission, to climinate "staggering waste" and save an estimated \$1,500,000,000 a year.

Oakland, Calif., stunt

man is shown as he

leaped from San Fran-

cisco's Golden Gate

bridge (left) and as he

appeared in the water

(right) as a power

cruiser came up to pull

him out after his suc-

cessful plunge. It was

the first time anyone

had made a successful

parachute jump from

the span and was Niles'

second attempt to leap

from the bridge. The

ex-paratrooper was ar-

rested the first time

and again when he suc-

ceeded .- AP Picture.

Treaty Is

Assured

with which the United States

ratification of the Treaty, they

Exhibition

with his art exhibit.

on'y require a bare majority of

**Paintings** 

the San Diego Gallery of Fine

Arts, the Foundation of Western

Francisco Museum of Art and

Congress to authorise and ap- have been "satisfactory," but

will implement the Treaty.

Approval

2. Sale of surplus United States arms to Europe at cut rates so that American taxpayers would not have to bear all of the \$193,000,000 cost.

Scrapping of the new arms programme completely in favour of a stronger US fighting force which would be available if any Western Euro-President Peron, delivering the pean untions were attacked. 4. A cul in European re-

[Atlantic security pact-must be considered separately from He said the enterprises to be the nation's own preparedness ease the financial burden. The Foreign Relations com-

mittee chairman, Senator Tom party Presidential candidate, The President did not refer and Liv Eugene Dennis, scerely" witnesses this week.

President Peron promised that The Robert Lovett, former well ahead of schedule. Under-Secretary of State, who Robert Patterson, and the examine leading Government 000 which were in the original Mr Owen Roberts will also be

Another portion of his speech | Opposition witnesses will in- presentation of its case suggests was devoted to foreign relations, clude the American Slav Con- that they are so confident that

May 1.-Britain's three-quarters of a mile off Am-Labour Government took over brose Channel in dense for late

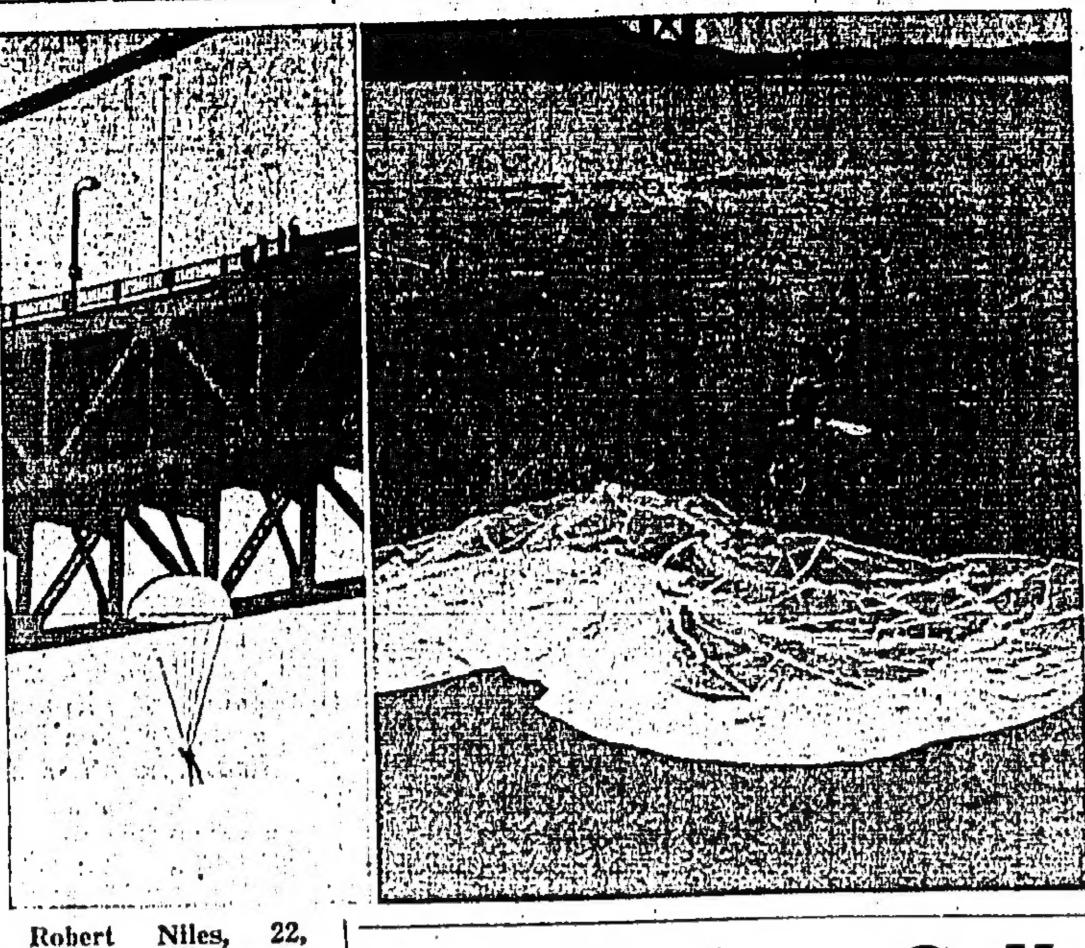
on Sunday. It was the seventh | The ships were identified as major industry to be nationalised the Marine Leader and the

#### By Galbraith SIDE GLANCES



"Now let's have your nine bright ideas about how this should be fixed before i start it, not after the project is

### Chute Jump From San Francisco Bridge



## MacArthur Calls For 30,000,000 Bibles For Japan

Tokyo, May. 1 .- General MacArthur believes that 30,000,000 copies of the Bible are needed here "to christianise Japan."

General MacArthur expressed his views to Mr Glenn W. Wagner, who is in Tokyo as foreign secretary of the Pocket Testament League.

This week Mr Wagner addressed more than 7,500 Japanese college students in several Tokyo universities, gave them bibles and outlined a programme for distributing some 10,000,000 holy scriptures throughout Japan in the next 10

Mr Wagner is in Japan at the invitation of General MacArthur and has talked several times with the Supreme Commander about plans to distribute 1,000.-000 pocket testaments in the first Washington, May 1,-The year of the programme, -

pects of the hearings finishing the representatives of League may need in the per-Almost the only opposition formance of their duties.

The strategy being burgued

### by the Administration in the BLOCKADE

(Continued from Page 1)

The effect of this may be to cretary of State for Political; lose them some votes for the Affairs. It is assumed that he will Treaty itself but they will, at the same time, win other votes next see Ar Acheson unless New York, May 1.-Two ships for the arms programme when he receives an urgent call to collided in New York harbour that comes up for approval. Fetura to New York to resume It appears that, the real his talks with M. Malik, Prefight in Congress will come sumably further discussion. over the military aid pro- will depend upon the Kremgramme and not over the lin's instructions to M. Malik Treaty. But, whereas the Ad- in, the light of his report on ministration requires a two-last Friday's exchanges with

third vote in the Senate for a Dr Jessup. MORE SECRECY This meeting was reported to

propriate the funds required the State Department yesterday for re-arming Europe .- Reuter, made it clear that secrecy had ucen re-imposed after the outburst of information last Tuesday, which followed the Russian ch'n. disclosure of two conditions for raising the Berlin blockade. day that the Soviet delegate to the last. Observers here prethe United Nations, M. Malik, dict, however, that General had "tacitly agreed" to the Pai's forces in Hankow—what An exhibit of the paintings of Western stipulation that any few there are—will be forced rador to Turkey, who has been Mr George Chann will be held meeting of the Big Four Foreign to move south should the Reds at St. John's Church Hall begin- Ministers on Germany must not swing westward toward the today for London. ning on Wednesday, May 4. Mr interfere with the plans for a Hankow-Canton railway. That Chann studied for eight years West German Government.

shown at the Palace of the that Russia would raise the Ber- General Pal reported that the been impressed by Turkey's Legion of Honor in San Fran- lin blockade on the two con- Hunan and Hupeh provinces undeveloped. resources and cisco, the California Art Club, ditions previously announced, are "solidly behind the Cen- industrial possibilities.—Reuter.

the San Diego Gallery of Fine the Times' report said.

tral authorities in resisting

These were that the Western Communist aggression." Art in Los Angeles, the San powers should simultaneously York. A number of his paintings in meeting of the Council of York. A number of his paintings Foreign Ministers on the Ger-

# another year's good work, Hangchow

(Continued: from Page 1.)

cut, and it appeared the Reds Ting-ngok, "I have urgently requested the either have occupied or were

> mention the situation South of take Tal. There, "It is "believed "the

Communists are making a during the first three months major effort aimed at Hang- this year were above exports chow and possibly the whole for last year's similar period. Northern coastline of Chekiang but expressed the opinion that province. Shanghai was singularly quiet in the year.

alt day. There were no May Day demonstrations; no panic and no mass evacuations. The feeling continues to grow

that the Reds intend to seal off Shanghai and its immediate 1,430,000,000 in the same period vicinity along the lower Yanglee, and then turn their attention elsewhere, possibly to drive South either frem Hangehow or Hankow or both,-Associated

MORE AID PROMISED

the defence of Central China was reportedly promised Gen- for 1949 may not exceed 2,000.eral Pai Chung-hai at a con- 000,000 pounds, compared with ference of military leaders here last year's 2,725,000,000. on Saturday night. The more aid pledge to Li Tsung-jen's right Chinese rice exports from hand man came from Chang Cochin-China were now blocked Kal-shek's Premier, Ho Ying- and resumption depended upon General Pai told reporters

following the conference that The New York Times, said to- Hankow will be defended to Off railway is General Pal's only at the Los Angeles Art Institute | Sources close to the negotia- escape route back to his native 3ress made by modern Turkey and spent two years on its tions on Germany in Lake Kwangsi province, Already the under Kemal Ataturk and the faculty before touring America Success said that M. Malik, in major, part, of General Pal's inspiration of President Ismet his last meeting with Dr. Jessup heavy equipment has gone Incunu." His paintings have been on Friday, gave new assurances South to Hengyang in Hunan.

Gen. Pai made this statement remove all counter-blockade in the face of assertions by Kadio Hongkong the New House Gallery in New measures and agree to a date for Hunan Governor Cheng Chien last month that he would do

### Chinese Estates Ltd: Profit Of \$300.000

ordinary yearly meeting of shareholders of the Chinese Estates Limited, held on the fifth floor of China Building this morning. Mr Loung Kwai-tin, Chairman of the Board of Directors, presided. in his speech, the Chairman

after providing for reserve. for-depreciation on China Build-ings of \$60,000, directors' and auditor's fees and all expenses, umounts to \$263,318.74, which, added to \$82,019.38 brought forward from the last account, rhows a total of \$345,348,10. The net profit for the year choivs un, increase of \$64,385.21 over that of the previous year, This is attributable to an increase in rent receipts of \$84, 358.65, dividends on share investments of \$6,007.50 and sundry receipts of \$272.00, which is counterbalanced by a general increase in the various items of expenditure owing to costs, amounting to about \$27,002.94.

As was done last year, the sum of \$60,000,00 is again provided for Reserve for depreciation of China Building, as your directors are of the opinion that, while the financial position of the company permits, our efforts to strenghten our reserves should be continued. During the year an interim

dividend of \$4 a share, less 10 per cent of tax, has already been paid. Your directors are now pleased to recommend a final dividend of \$5 a share, free of tax, making a total of \$9 a share for the whole year. After payment of the final dividend, which absorbs \$82,500 there will be a balance of \$100,-

848.10, which your Directors propose, with your approval, to carry forward to the new ac-Before moving the adoption of the Report and Accounts, wish to express my sincere thanks to the secretary and other members of the staff for

Mr Lo Yuk-man seconded. RE-ELECTIONS Messrs, Fung Ping-fan, Leung Ting-kat and Li Ka-sze were re-elected directors, on the proposal of Mr Leung Kin-wun, seconded by Mr Leung Sang. Mr Li Tung was re-elected

auditor. The communique mentioned Present at the meeting were the "Nationalist forces con- Messrs Leung Kwai-tin (Chairtinued to hold Chihtang, a man), Li Yik-mui, Leung Ting-hamlet about three miles North kni, Fung Ping-fan and Li Kaof Kunshan (35 miles West of see (Directors) and the following shareholders: Mok Hon, The situation in Kunshan Leung King-wun, Leung Sang. lyns not clear. Telephone and Lo Yuk-man, Chang Yuk, Li rail service to that village were Tung, Li Chung-po and Leung

### RICE EXPORTS INCREASE

Agriculture Department norted that rice exports from Siam, Burma and Indo-China there would be a decline later

The Department said 1,900,-000,000 pounds were exported from the "Big Three" rice countries during the first quarter of this year, compared with last year. It pointed out that Slamese deliverles had more than doubled, but Indo-China's had declined and Burma showed only a slight increase. It said, however, that Burmese

rice exports were expected to decline sharply during the re-Canton, May, 2:-More aid for | mainder of the year unless civil strife there ended, and the total It also pointed out that Indo-

unpredictable political factors .-United Press.

Ankora, May 1 .- Sir David Kelly, retiring British Ambas-

In a farewell message he praised the "astonishing pro-

Sir David said that he had

6. Programme Summary; 6.01, "It's Foreign Ministers on the German question—licuter.

The chann's exhibit is interesting as the work of a chinese who has concentrated on Western art. He returned to China only about a year ago to paint in this area.

Mr. George D. Hopper, American Consul General, Sir Shousan Chow and Mr. Robert Shousan Chow and American Consul General, Sit strens sounded in Jerusalem has about 100,000 troops outside Shouson Chow and Mr Robert shortly after dusk today when of Hankow pitted against a superior number of government an unidentified plane was desponsoring the exhibit which will be open to the public from May 4 to 7 and public from May 4 to 7 and May 10 to 13 from 10 a.m. to Press.

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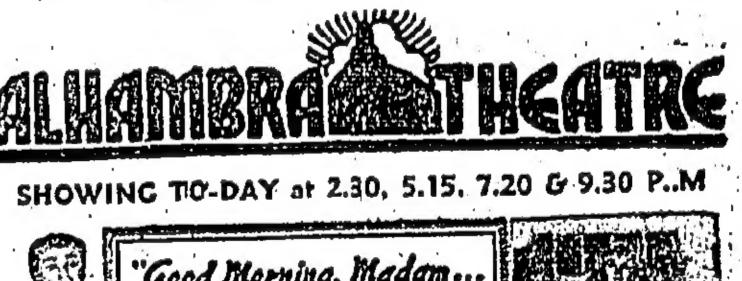
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TO-MORROW:-ROBERT MITCHUM IN "PURSUED

# Five Nations Win Through To Second Round

London, May. 1.—Britain and Czechoslovakia both gained 5-0 victories over their opponents in their first round European zone Davis Cup ties today, and will now meet in the second round at Wimbledon, starting

At Lisbon, Britain won all her matches against Portugal. With a decisive 3-0 lead yesterday 22-year-old May 14. Tim Lewis, former Cambridge University captain, was given his Davis Cup chance for Britain and he beat the Portuguese champion, Jose Roquette, by 6-2, 1-6, 6-1, 7-5. Tony Mottram made Britain's victory complete by defeating Jose Da Silva by 7-5, 3-6, 7-5, 6-0.

Czechoslovakia, winner the second round.

The results were: Jaroslav professional, was beaten here the European zone Playing at Luxembourg. Drobny beat Alec Noghes 6-2, today by Bobby Riggs, another France won two singles 6-2, 6-1 and Vladimir Cernik Wimbledon champion, by 4-6, today by Bobby Riggs, another formation of the European zone of th tourney last year, easily matches yesterday and today beat Georges Pasquier 6-1; 6-0, 6-4, 7-9.

at Prague. ties South Africa, France Playing against the Dutch at to meet Denmark in the second Kramer beat Riggs and Dinny and Denmark have all The Hague, the South African round.—Reuter. gained decisive leads now hold a decisive lead of 3-0.

round. received a walk-over The games between Czecho- 6-2, 5-7.—Reuter.

In Luxembourg, won by 5-0. France hold a 3-0 lead and have qualified to ... meet Denmark, which leads Israel 3-0 in Copenhagen.

In all these matches two more singles games remain to be played, but the outcome of these will not affect the results of the ties.

In the games at Copenhagen, Denmark gained a decisive 3-0 lend over Israel when they

won the doubles. In this match Kurt Nielsen and Torben Ulrich (Denmark) beat Ralph Gonitzky and Yehuda Finkelkraut (Israel) by

6-1, 6-2, 6-1. Denmark won the two opening singles yesterday and two more remain to be played to- danger two furlongs out, By gaining a 3-0 lead against

### International Horse Show

day finished first and third a failure at the stud in Kenin the third event of the tucky, whither he was exported Rome International Horse Show-the Viminale Prize- faith, and, as a last expedient, which was scored on time

Captain Chevallier, riding mated with him. Riloo, had an easy win with one minute 20.6 seconds, Second Eire's team's captain, Lieutenant-Colonel Dar Corry, on Antrim Glens, who did the course in one minute 40 seconds.

Commandant de Maupeou, of France, was third, on Rat d'Asturies, with one minute 43.4 seconds.

Spain was first and second and France third, fourth and fifth in today's second event-. the General Pietro Dido Prizewhich was carried out in heavy which was judged on time and |

riders qualified. Spain's jump' ing champion, Lieutenant Colonel Jose Navarro Morenes, was his second victory in the not?" show.—Reuter.

### Japanese Delighted

Tokyo, Apr. 30.-Japanese sports circles today generally welcomed the International Olympic Committee's decision to sanction, the return of Japan and Germany to Olympic competition.

Toshiro Azuma, President of Federation, said, "It is most de- ren Wright's four-year-old Coal Mr Joel Murless, the master of lightful news for the Japanese Town, half-brother to Citation. Beckhampton stables, has set sports world. We think the scored his seventh consecutive everyone a puzzle to solve to International Olympic Commit- victory this season by winning find his selection for the Derby, tee's action is a prelude to the \$50,000 Gallant Fox Handi- in which he had several others Japan's reinstatement in the enp at Jamaica, New York. entered besides the four already International Athletic Federation | There were six runners. and we intend to make prepara- In 20 races Coal Town has Reliable reports are that, all have been postponed until May tions, for that procedure,"- won 15 times and ran second being well, it will be Royal 15 owing to transport delays.-United Press.

accounted for Monaco H. Bolelli and P. Remy 0-4. (France) beat G. Wompach | Czechoslovakia will meet Bri- professionals, Pancho Stgura, of and L. Werthelm (Luxem- tain in the second round.

and reached the second The doubles match resulted in emerged victors over Paris by Eric Sturgess and Eustace 4-1 here today in an encounter Ponnin (South Africa) beating which has been billed as an At The Hague, South Hans Van Swol and Iver Rinkel inter-city tennis match. (Holland) by 7-5, 6-3 6-4. Africa lead the Nether- Two more matches remain to ker beat Marcel Bernard, who Segura of Ecuador beat

riovakia and Monaco were play-

when Turkey scratched. ed in Prague where the Czechs Czechoslovnicia, who held decisive 3-0 lend yesterday,

### Home Turf Favourites

No. 2: BLACK TARQUIN

Black colt by Rhodes Scholar out of Vagrancy. Owner, Mr W. Woodward: trainer, Captain C. Boyd-

Rachfort. The 1948 St. Leger proved him beyond doubt the best three-year-old in Europe. Britt was looking round for and was pulling up when the post was reached-

This victory justified his trainer's tremendous confidened-founded on his Insight into the horse's qualities. never galloped him over the

Leger distance. Black Tarquin is something of a freak. His sire was not a Rome, May 1 .- France to- stayer, and was written off as

Mr Woodward alone had sont Vagrancy, one of the best get a mile. staying fillies to race in the U.S.A. during the war, to be

when I first saw him, at Free- Nimbus got of winning the mason Lodge as a yearling in Derby?" It would be foolish to 1946, Ho is now the most say that even though he lacks powerful-looking horse

When walking he appears stride out at all.

Like most good racchorses he is an out-and-out glutton, He has had to be kept in training all through the winter

mlles at a brisk canter.

Woodward, has named the quin's 1949 objective.

who had to resign the St. Leger chief among these being the Reed, Alves; Sonres, Guterres, then Aspinal claimed two more match. Sussex 267 and 124 for

to resume riding in April. London Express Service

Coal Town's Seventh New York, May 1 .- Mr War-

three times.—Reuter.

In other first round bourg) by 6-2, 6-1, 6-1 in the By winning a 3-0 lead against Egypt's leading professional, by

LOS ANCELES WINS Paris, May 1.—Los Angeles In today's game, Frankio Par- Cairo, May 1. — Pancho

RIGGS BEATS KRAMER Cairo, May 1 .- Jack Kramer, Associated Press.

expected Luxembourg, France has won the remaining singles to the American holder of the 1947 windled to meet Denmark in day.

In other matches played by Ecuador, bent Mohammed All, -Reuler.

> Professional Tennis

lands by 3-0 and will be played but South Africa are was suffering from sciatica, 6-1, Mohamed Aly, Egyptian pronow meet Italy, which second round.

was suffering from second fessional tennis acc, 6-0, 6-3 in to Jacques Thomas 3-0, 6-4, 3-6, the last day of the professional Sporting Club yesterday.-

## Nimbus Looms Up As A Derby-Prospect

London, May 1.—The surprise about the result of the Two Thousand Guineas, which ended in a short head defeat for the hot favourite, Abernant, by the 10 to 1 chance Nimbus, was not so much that the favourite lost but that it was Nimbus that

This colt, by Nearco, had been beaten "out of sight" by Abernant in the Champagne Stakes at Doncaster last year over six furlongs, and although Nimbus had won over a mile this season, which saw him a sound each-way chance, it did not seem possible that he should reverse the previous sixlengths defeat, even with an extra two furlongs to

sprinting more, Rustom Mahal, be up on this colt. and Nimbus, by the Grand Prix winner, Nearco, out of the sixfurlong Wokingham Stakes and none of the others seems to winner, Kong.

does not get more than seven a winner at Sandown, over furlongs on a severe course, mile last week is stoutly bred.whereas Nimbus does at least Reuter

SPEED & COURAGE

The question now being The produce was a big colt asked is: "What hopes had stamina on his dam side, Nimbus is not now a Derby prospect. After all, he won the muscle-bound. He can hardly Guineas because he had speed and courage and there was no sign of his faltering at the end of the mile trip.

On the other hand, there to prevent him from becoming no guarantee whatever that he Until a recent bout of cough- and a half miles, several colts rain. The event consisted of ing restricted him to trotting that he beat at Newmarket, eight jumps with all riders who | the big black colt, with all four | notably Peter Flower, Hindostan effected an errorless first round legs bandaged, used to take a and the French Amour Drake. qualifying for the second round, daily "constitutional" of two These three should appreciate the longer lourney and the His trainer, who returns softer going which they are shortly from his visit to Mr likely to get at Epsom. Nimbus is now one of the

Ascot Gold Cup as Black Tar- Derby favourities at 12 to 1, but it is significant that both He caps the ever-present Peter Flower and Amour Drake question "Will he stay the 21/2 are at about the same price. with another-"Why It looks very much as if the Derby may be won by a colt-

Welsh | Ruce, Forest, Faux Tirage, Minstrel and Ridge Wood, Lord Derby's Swallow Tail, the Gackwar of Baroda's Jai Hind, Mr William Woodward's American-bred colts, Lone Eagle and Brown Rover, and the French challengers, Including Royal Empire, which KMB was recently acquired by the RAF British band leader, Jack

mentioned.

Conquest

On their breeding, there was who has the tough task of little between Abernant, by the picking his mount for the one Derby winner Tudor out of a big race he has yet to win, will

It is clear that Abernant will not be asked to run at Epsom, have the same strong stamina However, the race at New- qualifications that Royal Forest market showed that Abernant possesses, although Ridge Wood,

HOCKEY

# PORTUGAL

In spite of the inclement weather, there was a good or direction. gathering of speciators at the International Tournament hockey match at King's Park yesterday when Portugal beat Pakistan by eight goals to nil. In the beginning Pakistan did good defensive work, but Portugal . eventually assumed full control of the game, with splendid team work.

goal for Pakistan The teams were

Samy, M. Khan; Z. A. Abbas, a hook and skied a catch to long R. All, Ghani; Hassan, M. A. leg after the stand had realised Wahab, N. Ebrahim, H. Ditta 119. and M. Yusuf. Portugal: — Beltrao:

YESTERDAY'S SOCCER

Results in yesterday's League soccer matches were: FIRST DIVISION 0 S. China "A" SECOND DIVISION Tramways 2 Police

> CHAMPIONSHIPS POSTPONED.

Coiro, May 1.—The European basketball champlonships, due to commence here on Thursday, Forest and that Gordon Richards, Reuter.

### BOWLS AT 89

A match took place at White Rock Indoor Bowls Pavilion, Hastings, between two teams of veterans all over 80 years of age. The winners ranged from 81 to 87; the losers from 82 to 89.

The oldest player, Mr Jim Miller, 89, was formerly Hastings Corporation parks and gardens superintendent, and used to prepare the bowls greens in White Rock Gardens where the big annual Open tournament is played every summer. "Junior" was Mr

W. G. Sykes, who is 81. Bristol born, he was formerly an architect and surveyor in Lon-

-London Express Service.







STORM IS BREWING

By PETER DITTON

English cricket is sharply divided in itself. There are two points of view. One maintains that the introduction of players into a county team by means of a special registration is perfectly justified. The other will have nothing to do with it.

The special registration of players was an emergency scheme introduced by the MCC after the war. It was done primarily to enable smaller county elevens to build up their playing strength in a hurry to meet the rigorous demands of first class cricket, and at the same time to give young players, without a chance of getting into their own county team, the opporfunity to stay in the game by playing for another county.

Normally, of course, in English cricket, players qualify to play for a centain county by virtue of being born in that county. Yorkshire in particular attach the greatest importance to this qualification and will not play anyone in their eleven who has not been born in the county. You may recall incidentally that last year when Norman Yardley's wife presented him with a son, Mrs Yardley made a special journey from Scotland to Yorkshire so that when her baby was born he would be qualified to play for Yorkshire.

But because so few English year in that county. This was cricket. But one county in counties have first-class cricket the qualification which enabled particular—Glamorgan — would teams, many years ago the Tom Pritchard the New Zealand not agree with him. In their MCC also introduced a re- Test bowler to play for War- championship winning side last sidential qualification enabling wickshire. any cricketer to play for a

county after residing for one

## Zealand. Opens Tour

Bradford, Apr. 30 .- Bert Sutcliffe, the young New Zealand left-hander, showed a 15,000 crowd at Bradford today that he is worthy of the many eulogies which preceded his visit to England.

In a delightful innings played with the skill and temperament of a great player, he laid the foundation of his side's good score against Yorkshire. The tourists had put on 370 for 7 declared and Yorkshire replied with eight runs for no wicket when stumps were drawn. Bowling Analysis

V. J. Scott, a six feet two. inches righthander, who employs scarcely any backlift, but Aspinal ...... 27 3 80 punches the loose ball hard, Coxon ..... 27 2 helped Sutcliffe in an opening Yardley stand of 117.

Hadlee, Wallace and Don- Wardle nelly consolidated the successful Halliday ..... 4 0 18 0 start. No bowler took more advantage of the help given by a green pitch than Aspinal, who obtained five of the first six

RAGGED ATTACK tack looked ragged. The tourists T.H. Wade, the wicketkeeper, from Rhodesin." their start of the tour. They the two clubs since 1897. played the game in the best possible spirit and proved most

refreshing to watch. Both Hadlee and Wallace were cautious against the off-The Pakistan players 'are breaks of Robinson and Coxon's mostly new and inexperienced. fast medium team bowling on K. Nazarin played well in a pitch which looked livelier than before lunch.

Aspinal took his third wicket Pakistan:-K. Nazarin; Sabu when at 239 Hadlee mistimed Wallace save Wardle his

Nery, third catch of the day off a ball (Friendly game). Gonsalves; R. Marques, W. A. from Coxon after scoring 82 and mount to Edgar Britt, expects Beekhampton quartet, Royal B. Xavier, A. Marques and wickets, having Rabone caught a declared drew with Hampand saw the play out until tea. for one.

Donnelly batted in his best form until he missed a leg break from Robinson. Hadice declared (Robertson 95, Edrich seized the opportunity to 57, Nutter 76 not out), Essex 27 the champion to Manita: declare when Burtt had settled for two. start. He became the first visit- sity 328 (Van Ryneveld 78, Carr | night in a charity exhibition at controversial regulation 3 ing captain to declare on the 131); Gloucestershire no runs the Rizal Memorial Stadium - abandoned.—(London Express opening day of the English for no wicket .- Reuter, 1 tour.

Yorkshire were given 20 minutes to bat and in that time Hutton and Halliday made eight THE SCOREBOARD The scoreboard read:

New Zealand 1st Innings

Sutcliffe, e Wardle b Aspinal 72 Scott, c Wardle b Aspinal .. 41 Hadlee, c Wilson b Aspinal . 45 Wallace, e Wardle b Coxon . 82 Donnelly, b Robinson ..... Rabone, c Coxon b Aspinal . Mooney, b Aspinal ..... Burit, not out ...... Extras ..... 16

7 (decl.) ..... 270

TABLE TENNIS

Malaya Beats Macao

Singapore, May . I .- An All-Molnya table tennis team beat a visiting Macao team by three games to two on Saturday night. This is the visitors first defeat after a run of successive victories over Malayan toams sinco their arrival in Singapore a fortnight ago.-Router.

Robinson ,-Reuter.

COUNTY MATCHES wickets for 62 runs to finish up Bailey, the Essex fast bow- no connection with the county occasionally as a batsman, he with an analysis of five for 80. ler, took a wicket with the apart from the fact that they would not have made the name He managed to get life and first ball bowled in the 1949 draw their pay packets there, for himself that he has with some lift from the turf, but was first class cricket season. He while another (again he men- Glamorgan, Picking the cream? not consistent in either length dismissed Nigel Howard, Lan- tioned no name although ob- -not on your life.

must feel very satisfied with This was the first meeting of Jack Robertson and Bill Edrich, of Middlesex, opened their account for the MCC with a century partnership, Roverton scoring 95 and Edrich 57. A.E. Nutter contributed an unbeaten

76, enabling the MCC to de-The close of play scores in first class games were:

At Taunton.—Somerset 204 (Gimblett 88, Hever 6 for 34); Glamorgan 27 for no wicket

At Hove .- Friendly two-day Donnelly was joined by Burtt 115, Bailey 60 not out) and 61 At Lords.-MCC 378 for 8

At Oxford .- Oxford Univer-

bitter. It is claimed that certain years of war. counties are "milking" other counties for players instead of developing local talent: for all that a county has to do to obtain n player by special registration is to offer him a contract for a couple of years. It is as simple as that.

#### THE OPPOSITION

opposed to this method of ob- player to be singled out it is taining players is Sir Douglas Len Muncer whose off-breaks McCraith, Chairman of Notting- accounted for 139 wickets at a camshire County Cricket Club. cost of less than 17 runs each. Speaking at the Lancashire County Cricket Club's official appear that Sir Douglas was opening ceremony in Manches- justified when he claimed that ter last week, he declared—| countries were "picking the like football teams faced with teresting to note that when relegation and the special re- Muncer was with Middlesex he after the war is being exploit- ler but as a batsman. It was

London, Apr. 30.—Trevor had eleven players who have Middlesex and had been played cashire's new captain, who, viously meaning Leicestershire) MCC: innings had two Australians and were Otherwise, the Yorkshire at- avainst Essex, gave a catch to planning to introduce a player cases where a player has not

> continued, "that if Notts ever have a team on those lines, my on moving. No county wilt. interest will cease forthwith. It is the duty of every county to help its young men instead of just picking the cream every step. But to develop local

Is Sir Douglas right? Many people will tell you that he is and that the special registra- a vicious circle. A county can

#### Fights For Louis In Manila

world heavy-weight champion, tightening up their regulations. Joe Louis, is scheduled to arrive Although in certain exceptional in Manifa for exhibition bouts circumstances players are still early this month.

sportsman and promoter, has and for betweengone to Guam to accompany It has served a useful purpose Louis will fight Ray Stephens game but few countles will oband Jim Wilkins next Thursday ject if next ceason this

year. Glamorgan had no fewer No one has any grouse against than three players whom they the birth or the residential obtained from Middlesex by qualifications. But this business special registration. They had of special registration is causing to get them because they had one of the biggest storms since been unable to discover sufover-hand bowling was intro- ficient youngsters good enough duced. Criticism against it is to fill the gaps caused by six

The three whom Glamorgan

obtained from Middlesex were

Muncer and Hever, who between them\_\_took over 200 wickets last season, and Eaglestone who scored over 500 runs. These three undoubtedly played u big part in Glamorgan's suc-Leader of those most strongly cess, and if there is any one From these figures it might "some countries are behaving cream." But it is really ingistration scheme introduced was considered not as a bowleft to Johnny Clay the veteran He pointed out what one Glamorgan off-spinner to prove county (he mentioned no name Muncer's true worth. And it is nithough it was fairly obvious fairly safe to assume that if he was referring to Northants) Muncer had remained with

veloped, with his home county but has made the grade upwillingly import players if they can produce good enough material on their own doortalent requires money and to get money a county must be able to draw the crowds. It is tion is making a farce of only draw crowds if it has a good enough team and so on. After six years of war and, incidentally, no cricket, the special registration regulation undoubtedly came as a blessing to many counties. Now, four years later they are beginning Manila, May 1.—The retired to settle down and the MCC are allowed to move by special re-Ted Lewis, prominent Manila gistration, applications are fewer

by bringing new blood into the

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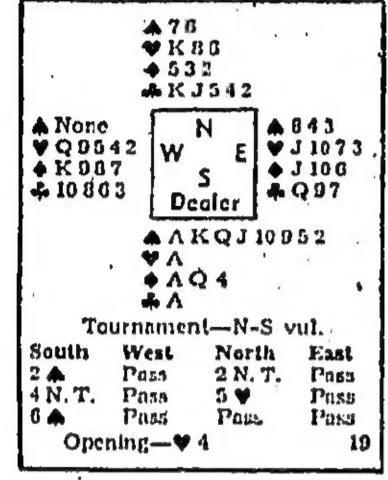
Must First Give Up Trick to Get Slam

BY WILLIAM E. MOKENNEY TRACTICALLY every bridge

book that is written reaches my desk, but it is surprisingly difficult for me to keep these Recently I was looking for a book written by Mrs Olive Peterson of Philadelphia and the late Milton C. Work, published in 1933, and entitled "One Hundred and One Celebrated Hands in

Contract Bridge." The book was gone. To my amazement, I found that even Mrs Peterson did not have a copy of the book. However, she promised 'to try to locate one for me, and shortly thereafter I received a copy from William F. Sands of Haddonfield, N. J.

Mr Sanda said he thought that Hand No. 47 was one of



the best in the book, so I am i mates. giving it to you today,

The opening bid spades by South asks partner to respond with aces. When North bids two no trump, he denies holding any aces, and also deales holding three kings or a king-queen and a king. South's bld of four no trump is the Blackwood convention asking for kings, not aces, and the five heart response shows wins. Now if South runs off the foot of the Old Oak Tree. Then spade sult trying to squeeze the he turned to his sister Hanld and opponents, they can take two sald: "The Pixles are all busy in diamond tricks and defeat the O'Cheer Hall. I can hear them all contract, if they discard cor- running up and down and talk-

rectly. But If South, after winning the ace of hearts, eashes the busy about?" Hanid said. ace of clubs, and then leads the deuce of spades, deliberate- Spring vegetables. They've done ly giving up a trick, there their Spring cleaning. They've is no way to beat the hand, given the inside of O'Cheer Hall East will win the first spade a new coat of paint. I can't imtrick with the eight-spot, and agine what they can be so busy now declarer has an entry into about." dummy-the seven of spades, He can discard the queen and four of diamonds on dummy's

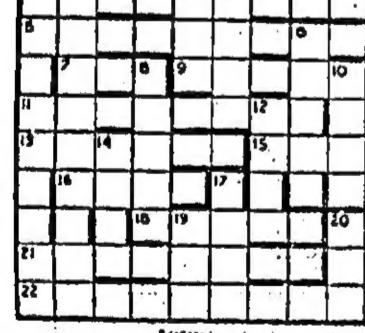
### Check Your Manowied ge

two kings.

I. What is lithium? .....Name-the-two-occurs-that meet at the Strait of Magellan What is a moat? Who invented the sand-

5. Name the four states in the United States that begin Pixle O'Bean popped his head in them, as he took them around remember names and faces as the early part of your life, 6. Are bats blind? (Answers at foot of Column.)

### CROSSWORD



ile makes the hoe run big. (U) Comprising all the particulars u and iv. i meant me in the interval. (f)

When one is called a pear it is manally with this accompaniment. (4-4) A brilliant discovery. (6) 16. Hard as a stone and valuable 18. Sco 8 Down. 21. The state of being kindled, the 23. To Sherlock Holmes is wa

1. She gives you the runs 1 mage 2. Egg on. (1 int down. (3)

elementary, (9)

s. Bingularly quite a lot have been 4. The Scot will call it an eventure But it could be liquor in which something has been boiled, 141 . Send a word to the mountains

8 and 18. Where you may have b ouse Hebo. (4-5) 10. See 9 Across. 12. It takes a long time for sage 14. Many a test has been suspended 17. It should fit to do this. (4)
19. The school of posteleaners? (3)
20. The back of a sedan. (3)

#### CHECK YOUR KNOWLEDGE Answers

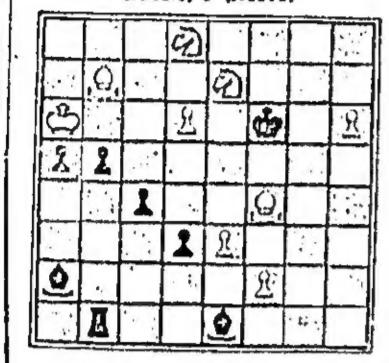
1. An alkali metallic element. 2. The Atlantic, and Pacific Oceans. 3. A water filled ditch around a castle. 4. The Fourth Earl of Sandwich when he called for two slices of bread with a slab of beef between. 5. Wyoming, Wisconsin. Washington and West Virginia . 8 No. They have small, but very keen eyes.

# WANT

### DUMB BELLS WHEN YOU .. I DONT MANUSCRIPT ALWAYS ENCLOSE IT BACK STAMPS OTHERWISE YOU WON'T GET IT BACK!

### CHESS PROBLEM

By E. E. ZEPLER (BCF Tourney 56) Black; 8 pieces.



White, 9 picers. problem:

### Delightful Town to Visit

By TEMPLE MANNING

TWLKING with an omeial of the European Recovery Programme, I learned how things are going in beautiful and sunny Italy, It isn't only in new industries, in increased efficiency and production, but also in little things, our friend

For instance, he had occasion to visit Vinreggio, that most beautiful resort and shipbuilding and flahing centre tucked away on a lovely corner of the Mediterranean coast. And what pleased him was not only the activity in the workaday world, but that ngain there were artists from everywhere busy sketching and painting this delightful town. And how much there is to see and register!

Shallow Bays The coast at Viaregglo is in- Italian towns. dented by a series of shallow bays. All along the sandy beach When last we saw Viereggio, are vast stretches of dark, the shippard was a busy, bust-fragrant pine woods, and be-ling place specialising in the hind them rise the great ranges building and repair of large of the Carrara Mountains. The and small coastal vessels and tall umbrella pines catch the fishing smacks. Alongside the

to be for ever changing. streets with low, green-shutter-White to play and mate in three, ed houses. To the north is the Solution to Saturday's rallway that runs to Genoa. and on the south is the sea. There is a uniformity about Kt-Kt4, any; 2, Q, or Kt the broad sunny streets and the houses, which is rare in

### Shadows Help the Pixies

-In Spring They Had a Lot To Do-

By MAX TRELL

two kings. The six spade bld KNARF, the shadow-boy with by South signs the bidding off. In the turned-about name, lis-In the play West opens the tened for several moments with four of hearts, which South his ear to the little hole at the

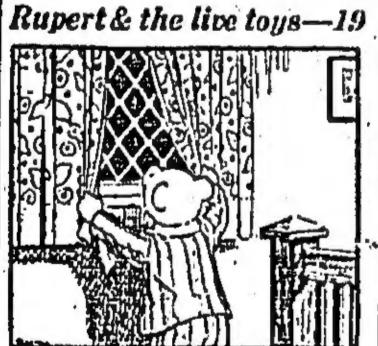
"I wonder what they're so "They've already planted their

### Heard Voices

At that moment, a little head was stuck out of the hole. It was down the narrow winding stair-Pixle O'Bean. "I heard your case that led into O'Cheer Hall voices," he said. "We're very in the roots of the Old Oak. The Pixies were busy Pixle O'Bean continued: "We they went inside. yellow paint, and some olicloth, time!" come back. Come right down- brushes and scissors. "What is ward, stairs with those things as soon everyone doing?" cried Hanid Since you have a fine it is likely that you will use as you can get them." With that, and Knarf. Pixie O'Bean showed memory it is easy for you to it only as a hobby. During

ferent coloured paints. "And that Pixie O'Bean. plece of olicloth," reminded Hanid.

However, Knarf and Hanid set blue jays." about getting the paints and the oilcloth. A few minutes later, a crowd of beetles and dragon you are equally close-mouthed Let your birthday star be your their arms laden, they started



What Mrs. Bear has said doesn't keep Rupert awake, and he sleeps soundly. But in the middle of the might he sits up suddenly and switches on the light. "Now, why did I' do that ? " he murmuts." "What disturbed me? Something must be happening somewhere." He peeps through the window, but the night is very dark. Then he hears tiny noises. "Good gracious, I do believe the giraffe and hippo are moving about down below [" he whispers. "I must see what's the matter." ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

BRONCHO



One Pixle was painting a sun-

again, and left Knarf and Hanid O'Cheer Hall. Some of the Pixles well as facts. You may be your abilities may not be fully to wonder what the Pixles were were painting bird feathers red. outwardly jovial, and con- appreciated. Thus, it is likely going to do with so many dif- "Those are for the robins," said genial, but when it comes to your successes will come later

Some Pixics were painting very selective. You are enough To find what the stars have feathers blue, "Those are for the of an individualist not to want in store for tomorrow, select

flies and caterpillars. Several about your affairs. Pixies were splashing them with yellow paint. "But what are you going to do with the ollcloth and the green paint?" Knarf asked.

Last Table last table. There stood a whole carefully. family of frogs. With their seisped them with paint. Then they familiar activities: spotted them with yellow, dried vests and they have to be water- Not too good for romance. proof. This is certainly a busy time for us. But it's going to get even busier."

"When?" asked Hanid. Pixle O'Bean. "You have no idea influencing people! ries purple, the apples green and make those dreams come true, on the domestic rather than the red, and the grass—the millions Take the initiative. of blades of grass-green. I LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)- ARIES. (Mar. 22-Apr., 20)-

### BYTHE by Beachcomber

SNAPDRIVER: In Articles 91-1107 inclusive of the Mackerel-Fins (Processing) Order. Defence of the Realm Regulation 98642, it is laid down that the only kind of penwiper which may be sold in the open street from barrow, handcart, perambulator, wheelbarrow, or small refuse cart is one made of Mrs Butterscotch: I bet none

o' you gents 'ad ever 'eard of 91-1107 inkerlusive till you 'ad ter bring up somethin' agin me. Cocklecarrot: Mrs Butterscotch, do you know what contempt of court is? Mrs B.: If I don't by this

time, your worship, it ain't frough any fault o' these 'ere gents, if so I may call 'em. Snapdriver: Mrs Butterscotch, you seem to forget you are on trial.

Gooseboote: Will you tell the court in your own words exactly what happened?

sunlight, which glints through yards, running up from the Mrs B.: I was thinkin' o' to the ground. The tall pine sea, is the ennal that goes to nothin' when up come, a slimy trunks frame lovely pictures of Pisa. On its bank stands a mountain and sea, and the great squar tower that used to Not knowln' 'e was a dirty spy, colours of the mountains seem serve, and probably still does, I sold 'im one for two pence. ns the town gool. It is said Then up come another dirty pose we have never discovered. the law. Then I'm dragged in despite all the legend and 'ere to listen to a lot o' baby-

There isn't much to see in Gooseboote: In other words, ments expires on June 15: Viareggio from a sightseeing you were unaware that you angle, but it is a wonderful were breaking the law? spot in which to just rest and Mrs B.: Quick orf of the enjoy nature in one of her mark, aren't yer? A nod's as

strolls good as a crack over the 'end through the shady walks of the to-a blind 'orso like you. shelter of one of the curious and checks himself suddenly). (Cocklecarrot laughs loudly, but picturesque thatched hog-huts on the sea shore, or walks Do you cultivate

about the Piazza d'Axeglio car-glamour? TINY dab is enough, says A a fashion-writer, referring, In Spring, all the little shops not to fish, but to the possible along the square take down the arrival of a craze among shutters and get ready for women for painting their ears. business, as do all the old-type But I knew a woman who, bathing machines. Everything is scoing a line of area railings hustle and bustle, for again marked "Wet Paint," ran her the season is here and Vla- right can along them, from reggio gets ready for the west to east, then her left ear, hordes of visitors who turn from east to west, and turned up each year for the season, up at dinner with ears that for a few weeks, or for just a "simply dripped glamour," to quote a guest.

Are you cultured? Plotinus wrote 54 Acnelds and

ing Pietra Santa, with its lovely old square, its cathedral, quaint old-world city gate and was famous for his Neapollthe fountains against the hill tantam. which rises steeply behind the WHAT is wrong with that sentence? (Tomorrow-Science At Work)

Fond of music and the arts,

you may have some talent, but

-(London Express Service).

### YOUR BHRTHIDAY

### MONDAY, MAY 2

busy downstairs." Before Knarf voices of the Pixies sounded DORN today your originality Your quick mind penetrates or Hanid could ask what the louder than ever and they heard | D and inventiveness are out- to the heart of a problem, inabout, footsteps pattering around. Then standing. It possible, you will stantly, and you can't see why try a new way of doing some- others haven't the same ability. need some red paint, some green Pixie O'Bean came rushing up thing. Your adaptability to all It would be well for you to paint, some blue paint, some to them gladly. "You're just in kinds of circumstances is ex- become a little more forebentceptional. This can work to ing .with others less talented Please get them for us. You'll All the other Pixles were sit- your advantage if you keep than yourself. find the door open when you ting at work tables with paint your ideals high and adapt up-

making close friends you are on. to interfere with others. You your birthday star and read On one work table, there were rarely, if ever, give advice and the corresponding paragraph.

### TUESDAY, MAY 3

daily guide.

profitable.

favoured.

business front.

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21) SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) -Avoid all kinds of complica- -Don't think the world tions. Undergurrents may in- against you. Perhaps you Pixie O'Bean took them to the fluence your life. Regard them haven't been co-operating

GEMINI (May 22-June 22)- plans. sors, Pixie O'Scowl, Pixie Mc. Matters of the affections are SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Giggle, and Pixie O'Long cut the favoured as well as general Dec. 22)-New opportunities, ollcloth into little vests and dip- business . if you stick to especially in the business field,

CANCER (June 23-July 23) them and put them on the frogs. - Property matters can be "They're not so beautiful," said handled successfully now. Keep Pixle O'Bean, "but frogs like your mind strictly on business.

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)-A fairly good day for all 19)-If job hunting, you should merchandising. You can sell be able to find what you want "In the summer time," said more by making friends and today. The public is buying

all fields.

now; sell goods profitably. what a job it is to keep painting VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 22)- PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 21)the buttercups yellow, the daisies Get busy today. If you've Make general gains although yellow and white; the huckleber- been dreaming of romance, they may appear more evident

enough. Reorganise your

turn up today and may prove

20)-Make a definite advance

on all fronts. Domestic and

social, as well as business, are

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Fcb.

sometimes think that no one Partnerships, both domestic Don't expect the spectacular works as hard as a Pixie, and and business, are now favour- today. Things will move no one knows how hard a Pixle |cd. Make definite advances in along normally if you put forth normal energy.





### Pound Not To Be Devalued, Says Cripps

Rome, Apr. 30.—Sir. Stafford Cripps, Britoin's Chancellor of the Exchequer, said today that no devaluation of the pound sterling was being contemplated.

Britain's oconomic chief arrived yesterday for talks with Italian officials.

He will visit southern Italy next week for a brief holiday .--- United

### Swedish Trade Talks With lurkey

present negotiations in Ankara The town itself is some distance from the pine woods and people of Genoa during their is made up of rows of straight great days, but for what purlowed in May or early June by negotiations in Stockholm on the list of goods to be exchanged after the current agreement on trade and pay-

> Swedish exporters believe that the same pattern of payments will be used for the new agreement.

The overall figures so far Corne on the exchange of goods after the current agreement was signed on June 15, 1948, gave Turkey a slight export gain over Sweden of 194,000 Swedish kroner worth of goods,-United

### CHICAGO GRAINS

Chicago, Apr. 30.

Prices in the grain market on the Board of Trade here today closed na tollow:--WHEAT price per bushel. \_----- I.D4-74-34 September ...... 1.94-15-14 December ...... 1.96-14-14 September ...... 1.23-15 December ...... 1.14-78-1.15 1.22 July WINNIPEG RYE 1.16-24 May ...... 1.15-7%-1.16 July ...... 1.04-24-1.04 

### Bank Shares Decline

London, Apr. 30.-The Stock Market here this week, although called "quiet," inflicted sharp shooting pains on some people here and there.

Shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation saw their expensive shares drop £11 to £90-10-0 on the shares nuvers sellers sales sweeping advance of the Chinese Communists. This illustrates the difficulties with which investors are nowadays con-

Reports that the Berlin blockade might soon be lifted drow attention to Europe. There was a surprising demand for Czech 0 percents, which jumped CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. £6 to £63.—United Press.

### Cotton Surplus Anticipated

Brussels, Apr. 30 .- The International Cotton Advisory Committee today advised its Standing Committee Washington to find ways increasing the world consumption of cotton to balance the anticipated world surplus.

A survey of the world cotton situation published during the 60-day meeting here estimated that the world production for 1948-49 would be 15 percent higher than the preceding season. It said that for the first time since the end of the War, world production would exceed market . demands. - United

Business was done in the local 20 west marks, unofficial exchange market this morning at the following rates:-Sterling pounds note (per £1) 16.11 U.S. dollar (per '\$1) ...... 6.24 bureau reported that 600 per-

### Canadian Gout. Expected To Relax Austerity

THE BUSINESSMAN

#### Before Election June

Ottawa, May. 1 .- Relaxation of some of the Canadian government's austerity measures is regarded as a certainty between now and the general election on June 27.

The government has indicated from time to time that the regulations will be eased as the country's supply of gold and United States dollars is im-

Recent government announcements indicate considerable improvement in the exchange position.

It is thought likely that the government will increase the annual allotments of dollars for travel south of the border.

Observers note that the heliday season is approaching. The allotment is \$150 in United Congress its 13th quarterly re-States funds to each individual port on the disposal of surplus US. The addition of perhaps another US\$100 to this amount might not tax the country's dollar fund too heavily.

The government made one major concession to tourists at the years end. It announced that Canadians travelling the US could bring back US\$100 though not delivered to the worth of American goods duty purchasers. free.-Associated Press.

# Called Italy

Labour officials today called a the For East. The total amount' nation-wide sirike of Italy's of property transferred under 2,000,000 farm workers for next the Chinese and Philippine

and contracts.

announced that it would strike on Tuesday unless its wage demands were granted. The Bank of Italy ended the second week of its strike with-

At the same time the Chemi-

cal Industry Workers' Union

out any sign of a settlement. The Communist party issued a May Day manifesto calling for

of May Day. All transport will stop and all shops will be shut. The Communist Labour leader. Giuseppe de Vittorio, will address a party rally.-United Karachi on February 27, com-

higher wages.

DANKS

HK Bank, .

### HONGKONG SHARES

The turnover on the Stock Exchange this morning was \$139,500.00. Transactions noon prices:

East Asia, .. INSURANCES Canton, .... 330 350 HK Fire, .. DOCKS, ETC. K. Wharf ... ..... 1714 18 200 @ 173 Provident. 500 @ 12.80 S'hai Dock. 7 100 19 7 LAND, ETC. 500 @ 1012 HK Hotel, . 10.10 S'hal Land, . 2 220 UTILITIES Tram, ..... 1300 @ 4% Star Ferry, .. C. Light C. Light 12 500 @ 11.80 Rts ..... 7.40 Electric, .. 2014 Mincao Electric, .. 800 0 18 Telephone ... STORES, ETC. 30 31 100 ₼ 30 Dairy XD .. Watson ...

# Demand For

Hanover, Apr. 30.-German bank Officials here reported today that the possibility of the lifting of the Berlin blockade had caused a heavy demand. for Russian zone currency.

In two days the price of 100 east marks rose from 16.50 to Mauritius, Johannesburg and Cairo One currency exchange (G.P.O.) 5 p.m.

### Almost All US Surplus Goods In Far East Sold

Washington, Apr. 30, - The property abroad.

It disclosed that the Philippines bought surplus goods originally valued at \$1,000,000,-000 for \$137,000,000.

The report said that practically all the surplus in the Far East had been sold, al-

In the Pacific Far East area, which includes China and the Philippines, but excludes Burma and India, these was a total of \$339,894,500 worth declared

In the case of the Philippines purchases, a substantial part of the surplus was donated under the Philippine rehabilitation programme.

The report added that it is impossible at present to give a Rome, Apr. 30 .- Communist detailed summary of sales in agreements are awaiting documentation, and, in the case of The strike is intended to en- the Philippines, will possibly force demands for higher wages | rot be complete until after the close of the fiscal year.-United"

# Jap-Pakistan

Karachi, May L-Three members of the SCAP-sponsored Japanese trade mission to Pakistan left early this morning Rome will be virtually a for Tokyo by Pan American

> Mr E. B. Blatchley, a SCAP . official, and Kelzo Fukai and Wakichi Toh, who arrived in pleted their mission yesterday after concluding a provisional Japan-Pakistan trade agree-

> Four engineering experts of the seven-man mission left for ... Japan last week. The Blatchley party is expected to reach. Toklo on May 3 .- United Press...

### OUTWARD MAILS

USA, Canada, Central and South America via San Francisco : (No Parcels for Canada), 3 p.m.

Commencing from Tuesday, May 3, and until further notice; the outward air mail to United Kingdom will be closed on Tuesdays and Thursdays: CPO Kowloon, 4.30 p.m.; and GPO, Hongkong, 5 p.m. (Registered mail half an hour earlier).

Commencing from Tuesday,

May 3, and until further notice

the outward air mail to Singapore

will be closed as follows: Tuesdays and Thursdays,-GPO, registered, 4.30 p.m.; orp.m.; ordinary, 4.30 p.m. Sundays,-GPO, registered, b p.m. (Saturday); ordinary, 10 a.m. (Sunday), GPO, registered.

4.30 p.m. (Haturday); ordinary, 10 a.m. (Sunday). Unless otherwise stated, registered articles and parcel posts close 30 minutes earlier than the ordinary mail. If malls close before 10 a.m., registered and parcel posts close at 5 p.m.

on the previous day. Mails are closed at Kowloon Central Post Office half an hour earlier than the GPO closing times, MONDAY MAY 2

Liuchow, Swatow, Amoy and Talpeh Closing Times By Sea

Closing Times By Air

U.S.A., Canada, Central, South America via Ban Francisco (No Parcels for Canada) 3 p.m. Formosa, via Takoo 3 p.m. Manila 3 p.m. Swatow 3 p.m.

Shanghai and Japan 3 p.m. ... TUESDAY, MAY 3 Closing Times By Air Rangoon, Calcutta, Karachi (Basra, Nairobi Mombasa. Dares Salsam, via Karnchi) Alexandria, Itomo and ' London (Kowloon C.P.O.) 4.30 p.m.;

Bingapore, S p.m. U.S.A. and

FIC plastres (per 100) 10.03 sons were buying large numbers Canada o p.m.
Siam ticals (per 100) 24.10 of east marks every day.

NEI guildets (per 100) 32.70 United Press.

Canada o p.m.
Air Parcel Posts for Manils, Honolulu and U.S.A. (Kowloon CPO) 4.30

D.m.; (C.P.O.) 8 p.m. WITH DIFFICULTY, BRONCHO BILL CON-VINCES THE KIONAPED CHILD THAT SHE IS IN BAFE HANDS ~

# May

### PARADES, INCIDENTS

London, May 1.—Throughout the world today, the traditional festival of May Day was celebrated by workers and trade unionists with demonstrations; marches and speeches. In the Eastern European countries behind the Iron Curtain, Communist leaders reviewed huge parades of workers.

In Belgrade, Marshal Josef Tito, the Yugoslav Premier, watched May Day parades from the saluting base in the main square of the capital. Tanjug, the official Yugoslav news agency, reported that the diplomatic representatives of the Soviet Union, the People's Democracies and other countries were at the saluting base with him.

In Paris, large crowds watched contingents of May Day marchers file past the reviewing stand in the Place de la Bastille, where the leaders of the Communist-led CGT (General Confederation of Labour), headed by M. Benoit Frachon, reviewed the parade.

In Ceylon, simultaneous mass

munists, Leninists, Bolshevists

workers in all parts of the world

In Amsterdam, about 45,000

stration, which was organised

"WE WANT PEACE"

declaring that intolerable totali-

tarian systems were being im-

posed on Greece by violence,

now marching in Moscow,

ARAB: COMMUNISTS

Dutch henchmen."

The main slogan carried by of the Imperial Palace. Parades the workers were "Union of wound through the streets withthe Workers for Bread, Peace out incident. Liberty." The loudest in Durban, heavily armed cheers - and laughter - were police patrols reserved for two tiny girls, streets against possible deabout three years old, who monstrations. Meetings by Commurched proudly beneath the munists and coloured workers banner War is Death. We were banned.

want to Live." A notable absentee from the meetings were held by the Comdemonstration was the Communist leader, M. Maurice Thorez, and Labour Parties, who urged who attended a May Day cele- the Ceylonese to unite with the bration at Monipellier. General Charles de Gaulle, in the fight against "imperialist

addressing an open air demon- domination and capitalist exstration, called upon the French ploitation." to "liquidate this separatism" - the Communist | people held a May Day demon-

In Rome, The Communist-led by the Amsterdam branch of General Confederation of Labour | the Dutch Communist Party. staged a mass meeting in the Music, flags and banners and Piazza del Popolo, where rain- 150 "Pence Doves," released bedraggled. Soviet and Italian from a hollow globe, gave the flags decked the speakers' gathering its colour.
rostrum under a 40-foot high. M. Paul de Groot, General Protection painting of the "Dove of Peace." Secretary of the Dutch Com-

PRIESTS MARCH
The Communit Secretary a question of peace and bread a question of peace and bread of the Italian CGT. Signor Giuseppe di Vittorio. the demonstrators to "beware of the machinations of the imperialists, who are trying to get the workers of the world

to fight one another." At the nearby Plazza Navona. bour Confederation held a de- cluded field artillery, tanks and age limits to protect young monstration. Priests marched rocket guns, was reviewed by workers underground. with the demonstrators, who the Polish President, M. Boleswith the demonstrators, who have law Bierut, the Polish ComTwo resolutions, supported were told by Signor Guilio Pastore, head of the Confederation that only by refusing to ally of the Government. themselves to any but their own country could the Italian work-

all Polish towns, the Radlo adders keep their self-respect. Pope Pius received a group of ed. Neapolitain workers in the Vutican today. He told them that the Church "always blesses the

worker and his labour." He added: "The Church always loves the worker, blesses his conditions of labour, defends his just wages and blesses his ed. "We Want Peace." Only a family."

The Church, he said, hated Communists marched by carrywar and wanted neace "between ing posters denouncing the Atthe whole great human family." lantic Pact and the policy of the ly supported the third resolu-In Vienna, only one slight in- Prime Minister, M. Paul Henri tion. cident between Socialists and Spaak, and his Socialist-Catholic Communists was reported. So- Coalition Government. cialists paraded about 200,000-About 50,000 men, women and parades by the Labour Party and eventually be raised to 18. children paraded with the Com- the Communists, There were no | Before closing their session munists, carrying slogans read- clashes or incidents. The slogans the delegates accepted in prining: "The Atlantic Pact means of the Labour Party were direct- ciple a sub-committee's report War," and "We do not want any ed mainly against the right wing on the re-training of disabled

In Prague, about 200,000 took next autumn's election campart in the May Day demon- paign. strations. M. Klement Gott- Communist Party supporters itself should dake an interest wold, the President of Czecho- carried banners denouncing in the vocational re-training of tee, appointed by the Governslovakia, raviewed a military President Truman, Mr Winston men who could be re-absorbed and civilian parade. He said Churchill and the Atlantic Pact. into the industry.—Reuter. the "fighting parade" demon- In Athens, Greek newspaper strated the Czech people's workers' unions today sent a zolidarity with the progressive May Day message to press forces of the world in the "fight | unions throughout | the world. against new warmongers."

### 7-HOUR PARADE

Budapest, a two-hour with support from foreign coun-Army march-past preceded a tries. Day parade of 500,000 In Tel-Aviv, a crowd of Hung trian workers. The largest 40,000 in the city's main May Day parade since the war, studium heard the Israell seven hours to pass a given Myerson, appeal to "workers point. In Sofia, about 250,000 May Washington, Parls and London

Day marchers were reviewed by to strive for peace." the Acting Prime Minister of Bulgaria, M. Vessil Kolarov, and other members of the Labour rallies in all the Government in Sofia's Parlia- principal towns and parades of said, according to the German ment Square.

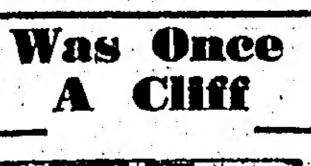
over 200,000 demonstrators in all political parties took place started counter-measures "quite Bucharest today, "peace" was in Polestine. the word that occurred most The loudest cheers in Tel- inisconception of the political often, both on banners and in Aviv were heard when Arab psychology of the peoples."

General Demeter Pelresco, ad- the workers. dressing the gathering on be- The demonstrations were or- that of "subject," with a will half of the Central Committee derly and were marked by the of its own and a "creative of the Rumanian Workers obsence of police and other se- nower." His party would con-Party, accused the United curity measures. | tinue to seek German unity

Party, M. Gheorrghiu Del prospect of new talks between people attended the two Comdelivered a May Day address, the occupying powers and said munist May Day demonstrations.

unionists demonstrated in front of German nationalism," he ter.

# World Celebrates





### Million Italians To Be Resettled

Paris, May. 1.-Neurly a million Italian citizens will be permanently re-settled throughout the world during the next four years under emigration plans presented by the Italian Government to the Economic Co-operation Administration, Mr Boris Shishkin, Director of the Labour Division in ECA's Paris headquarters, announced today.

against the war threat, of Pittsburg, May 1.-The American capitalism and its Coal Mines Committee of A five-hour military parade, the International Labour including a fly-past of aircraft, Organisation · last night marked Warsaw's May Day adopted three separate recelebrations, Warsaw Radio reported. The parade, which in- solutions fixing minimum

mander-in-Chief, General Rola by Government and employer United States Maritime Com-States and Canada, set the age Similar-parades-were-held-in-at-16.

delegates of the 10 nations re-In Brussels, 300,000 marchers they will now be submitted to 17,000 Canada 10,000 and the paraded through the centre of the International Labour Or- United States 8,000. the capital, accompanied by five ganisation's governing body in Other absorbing countries inbands. The demonstrators shout- | Geneva for final decision.

Sir William Lawther. Prefew police lined the route as the Union of Mine Workers, strong- ter.

The age limit of 17 years would be a "humane and In Oslo, large crowds watched human step," he declared. He through the streets, bigger-than-ever May Day hoped that the age would Opposition in anticipation for miners.

This said the mining industry

### INDIAN MERGER

Bombay, May 1-The Indian state of Baroda today merged with Bombay Province. In a "farewell" message" to

in the West as a race-horse procession took nearly Minister of Labour, Mrs Golda owner, said "I feel relieved of a very great burden and responsibility, and more so as I am putting you and your destiny in mightler hands."-Reuter.

Government workers, soldiers, news agency, DPD. In a May Day march-past of sailors and representatives of The Western Allies had belatedly and under a complete the marching songs of the Communists, carrying the Red Dr Schumacher urged the workers.

Before the procession started, peared during the march of from the position of "object" and an instrument of policy to States and Britain of fomenting In Germany, Dr Kurt Schu- despite all obstacles and diffimacher, at a May Day meeting culties, he said.

The Secretary General of the in Hanover today, spoke of the In Frankfurt, only about 800 In Tokyo, Japanese trade mobilise for Russia the forces in the huge Koenigsplatz.—Reu-

These plans are aimed at restoring the long-established flow of Italian emigration to the Western hemisphere, interrupted by the war. "Unemployment in Italy,

hampering recovery efforts, is the No. 1 manpower problem in Europe," Mr Shishkin stated. The Italian labour surplus had accumulated over a period of years and ECA was "deeply concerned" in helping to solve the problem. The Italian Government's

plan was dependent on the and the conclusion of bilateral the United States intends to see tatively agreed to receive the strictly to reinforce the Atlanemigrants. ECA had suggested that the

Zymierski, and other members delegates except for the United mission should provide Italy with 10 ships for the purpose. ECA\_officials\_\_estimated\_that 222,000 Italians would be re-The third, backed by worker rettled outside Europe in 1949. Argentina, the biggest receivpresented, fixed 17 as the limit, ing country, was expected to Because the motions conflict absorb 101,000 this year, Brazil

> clude Venezuela, Peru, Colombla, Bolivia, Uruguny, Paraguay, Chile, Central American tions, sident of the British National Republics and Mexico,-Reu-

### ELECTIONS

elections, due to be held by July 4, are likely to be postponed for an period, sources chose to the be used to smash native revolts Government stated.

The informants said that the Election Supervisory Commitsident Sao Shwe Thaike that the elections be postponed indefinitely owing to the "steadily deteriorating conditions in the country. The sources added that

postponement might necessitate an amendment of the Conctitution which lays down that expect little or not trouble in war (Ruler) of Baroda, known Day-January 4, 1948.—Reuter. transferred.—Associated Press.

deep water.-AP Picture. Atlantic Pact

This air view shows

feet into

Sound, barely

community at

historical

where a cliff roared

missing the edge of

Salmon Beach (right)

Tacoma, Wash. A heavy

carthquake three days

previous was blamed

for the slide. Old Fort

landmark (upper right)

is close to the edge of

slide. Trees protrude

from what was 100-foot

some

Puget

beach

Nisqually,

Controlled Washington, May 1.-Governavailability of shipping space ment officials said today that agreements with each of over a that any arms supplied to the dozen countries which had ten- Atlantic Pact countries are used

> Administration plans outline United Press. conditions in advance to prevent diverting any American

tie nreas' defences.

The officials said that this means that the Dutch and French could not use American guns, ammunition and equipment in Indonesia or French Indo-China because the U.S. would reserve the right to half all arms shipments to any country violating these condi-

The officials emphasize, however, that they expect no trouble on this point.

### FIRM CONDITIONS

Firm conditions would be written into the arms contract Rangoon, May 1,-Burmose mainly as precautions.

> Some Congressional demands indefinite that American arms should not in the Far East colonial areas are presumably a factor also.

To strenghten this policy, serious consideration is being given by the State Department to adding a provision specifying that American arms cannot be used to free an equivalent amount of home made weapons A FOREIGN AFFAIR for shipment elsewhere.

Government officials working on the problem said that they elections must be held within keeping a close check on 18 months of Independence American arms once they are



"Rosemary forgot her nightgown. Can she borrow one of yours?

# On China

May 1.— Washington, Claire Major-General the CAT Chennault of (China Air Transport) this week will give two Congresional committees his views on the situation in war-torn

chairman of the Joint Congressional "watchdog" committee on ECA aid, said that General Chennault had accepted an invitation to testify before McCarran's

F. Knowland disclosed that General Chennault will also be closed.

to extend more military and on the Island is closed. economic aid to Nationalist China. Senator Knowland has tion's China policy. The "watch in the day, she may climb up dog" group is officially known to the ruined palace of Tiberius

During the past year it has taken testimony from various experts on the Far East. Five Sinators and five Representatives, Democrats and Republicans, comprise its member-

long been an advocate of quick light of recent developments, hoped that in the next, few CASTLETONE FINE STATIONERY newspapermen at the National sembly." Press Club on Wednesday.-

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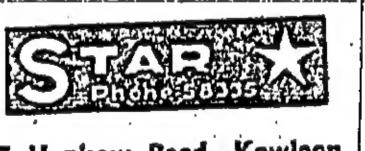
Senator Pat McCarran, **INDOORS** 

appear before the Senate Arm-Services Committee. The sake, They have been needing sessions of both committees will rain badly here," she said.

#### RECENT WITNESSES

Two of the most recent witnesses to appear before the joint committee were Roscoe Emeritus of Dean. Pound, Harvard Law School, and Mapor-Gen. David G. Barr, who headed the United States Joint Military Advisory Group to China.

tionalist China while General by 1955. more assistance.



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Republican Senator William in Capri today—the first for nearly fire months-spoiled Princess Margaret's plans for another day on the beach.
"I am glad for the Islanders"

The Princess spent most ut the day reading in her room. Senator McCarran is the She was unable to go to church author of the controversial bill as the only Protestant Church

The rain stopped this evening, Tomorrow, her last day in demanded Congressional in- Capri, the Princess plans to go vestigation of the Administra- | yachting in the morning, Later as the joint committee on near the precipice from which Foreign Economic Co-operation. the dissolute Roman emperor is taid to have hurled his victims during the 10 years he lived on the Island.

The Princess will leave the Island on Tuseday in the same Italian naval launch which brought her to Capri, and will visit the ruins of Pompeli in the afternoon.

She is expected to leave for Rome on May 6.-Reuter. . .

# World Gove

Blackpool, May 1.-Mr Henry. Usborne, Labour Member 10f Although they testified in an Parliament, today said that he executive session, it was known thought it possible that world that Pound favoured aid to Na- government might be established

Barr's report was considered | Speaking at the International "negative" on extending any Rotary Conference here, he said that only fast work in this direction could save the world Major-Gen. Chennault has from disaster.

Mr Usborne, Secretary in United States aid to the Na- Britain of the Crusade for tionalist government. In the World Government, said it was Washington is waiting with months an unofficial ballot interest to learn his views would be held in Britain to General Chennault has been in- select English representatives of "S. C. M. Post." vited to speak to Washington the "People's Constituent Az-

This, he said, was the name to be given to the proposed Conference of Delegates, each representing 1,069,000 of the —Reuter.



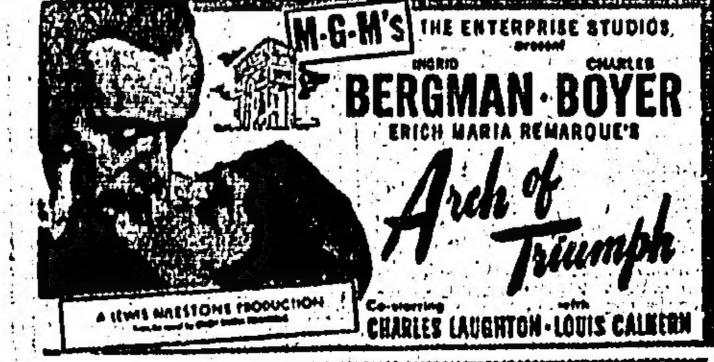
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